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Three Year Pact By Railroads And Four Unions

Carries Increase In Wages Ranging Up to 23 Cents Hour to Yardmen

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—The White House today announced a three-year peace pact between the major railroads and four operating rail unions.

The agreement provides:

For 120,000 railroad yardmen—an immediate increase of 23 cents an hour, with another two cents on Jan. 1 and cost of living adjustments every three months beginning next April 1. The adjustments are to be made at the rate of one cent an hour for every rise or fall of one point in the government's consumers price index.

The 23-cent pay boost is retroactive to Oct. 1.

For about 180,000 road service workers—an immediate increase of five cents an hour, also retroactive to Oct. 1, and another five cents effective Jan. 1, plus the same cost of living arrangement.

The settlement was announced by presidential assistant John R. Steelman, who took over negotiations in the months-long dispute after the government seized the railroads last August to avert a threatened nation-wide strike.

Overnight Conference

Steelman said union leaders had agreed in principle after a 26-hour overnight conference to a moratorium on any further demands by the four unions.

The agreement probably will lead to quick restoration of the rail line operations to their owners. The Army has been running the roads.

As drafted, the settlement represents a compromise between some of the union demands and what the railroads offered.

One of the chief demands of the trainmen, conductors, and firemen and enginemen was a 40 hour-work week without loss in the present 48 hours pay.

There was agreement in principle on this, but the compromise provides that the 40-hour work schedule would be put off at least until Jan. 1, 1952.

Study on Manpower

At that time, the manpower situation will be studied by both sides with the help of Steelman. If it should be put in effect then the workers will get an additional four cents an hour.

Besides the cost of living adjustment, which auto workers already have in their contract, the railroads and the four unions agreed to another major feature of the auto industry fact. That is an allowance for productivity improvement each year.

After Jan. 1, 1952, if the government policy has been to approve such improvement allowances, the parties will sit down and consider further wage agreements for rail workers.

They will be assisted in that by Steelman, but if they cannot agre that any wage adjustments are justified—not necessarily on the basis of the improvement in productivity — President Truman will be asked to appoint a referee whose decision would be binding.

Steelman could not say immediately whether he would recommend ending government operation of the railroads. He said he would consult with the leaders of the 16 other so-called non-operating rail unions who are asking for a 25 cent hourly pay increase, to decide whether a strike might be under consideration.

Demands of the non-operating unions, representing clerks and similar employes, are now about the only ones confronting the industry.

Today's agreement would wipe out all the standing requests of the four operating unions whose



No Chance at This Blaze to Firemen

MITCHELL, Ind., Dec. 21—(AP)—The chain of events read like a slapstick comedy script, but it wasn't funny because Leon Tanksley's house was burning all the time.

First, a neighbor called police instead of firemen. When the firemen got the word and responded a stalled automobile blocked their truck.

After the firemen arrived, the threads were stripped on one fire plug and the packing in the valve of a second plug blew out. The hose had to be laid to a plug a half mile away.

In the meantime, a policeman was struck by an auto and two drivers were arrested for interfering with firemen.

By the time the hose was laid the house was gone. So were all the Christmas presents. Mr. and Mrs. Tansley and their eight children saved only the clothes they were wearing.

Delivering New Directory

Some New Features Of the 1950 Edition Are Included

Sedalia's "book of the year," the 1950 Sedalia City Directory, is now off the press and being delivered to subscribers by R. L. Polk & Co., publishers of the familiar periodical since 1925.

The new directory is a handy volume listing 15,944 names in Sedalia and Pettis county, with eighteen continued as the minimum listing age.

Special features of the new guidebook include the designation of tenant-owned homes, a numerical telephone guide, and an illustrated story of the city by the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

Sedalia's variety of enterprise shows up to good advantage in the classified section of the directory, where 300 different groups are catalogued from "Abstractors" to "Wood Products Manufacturers." Such new classifications as "Television" and "Motels" and such old ones as "Blacksmiths" may be noted therein.

Following the usual Polk practice, the latest Sedalia City Directory will be distributed to directory libraries at Chambers of Commerce over the country, for free public reference, the publishers announced. This is a special service administered by the Association of North American Directory Publishers, to which the Polk firm belongs, it was explained. The Polk company maintains a branch of the out-of-town directory service for public reference at the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Lucille Aarons and Mrs. Margaret L. Zuroweste are first and last on the new Sedalia roll-call. A perusal of the family names between these two flushes out many oddities, including a pair of Eyes, three pairs of Shoes, three Presidents, Hula, Powder and Goodnight. The city directory is not a dry book if one is looking for the interesting, unusual and amazing variety of people, business, institutions and names that make up the life of a city.

Stalin Lauded On Birthday

By The Associated Press

Today is Joseph Stalin's birthday—he's 71—and while his controlled press at home once again hailed him in extravagant prose, Communists in the ring of states around Russia pulled out all the stops attempting to outdo each other in praising him.

In Moscow, East Berlin, Prague, Sofia, Bucharest, Budapest and Warsaw, the Communist press chorused praised of the man in the Kremlin in phrases like these:

"Greatest scientist of our time."

"Leader of the world peace camp."

"Defender of the worker.'

"Great genius Stalin."

Express train service between Prague and Berlin was begun under banners reading: "Greetings to the great Stalin."

Other worldly matters in the press of the Communists states were pushed into the background—even the denunciation of the west. The Soviet army newspaper in Berlin, Taeglische Rundschau, published a sharp editorial on the results of the Brussels conference, but it was relegated to an obscure position.

Severe Penalty on Making False Calls

False calls have been turned in for ambulances and it is as much a violation of the law as turning in false alarms for the fire department or police. Such a call was received by Ewings Wednesday afternoon and several months ago Gillespies and McLaughlins also received calls.

Police are endeavoring to check the call Wednesday.

The fact that it is against the law to turn in such calls is secondary. It is dangerous to have emergency cars make such runs inasmuch as there is great danger of accidents.

Mrs. Caraway Died Today

End Comes to First Woman Elected to Senate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway, 72, of Arkansas, first woman ever elected to the United States senate, died today at White Hall sanitarium at Falls Church, Va.

She had been ill since January 11. Her condition took a turn for the worse January 18 when she had a stroke which left her partly paralyzed.

Mrs. Caraway was a member of the Federal Employes' Compensation Appeals board at the time of her death.

She was a senator for slightly more than 13 years during the administration of the late Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A Democrat, Mrs. Caraway went to the Senate November 13, 1931, by appointment to succeed her late husband, Thaddeus Caraway. Later she won one special and two regular elections.

While not the first woman to hold a senate seat—Rebecca Latimer Felton of Georgia was appointed in 1922 to fill out a vacancy—Mrs. Caraway was the first member of her sex to win a senatorial election.

Until she entered the Senate, Mrs. Caraway was known as a homeboy, interested in the comfort and welfare of her more famous husband.

But in 1931 she became a national figure. That year, with the active backing of Senator Huey P. Long of Louisiana, she won one of the most sensational primary campaigns her state had ever known.

Police Plan Real Treats For Christmas

The members of the Police Department have been mighty busy during their hours off lately getting ready for Christmas for there is going to be a big Christmas at the police station this year according to Chief of Police Edgar Neighbors.

There is a big Christmas tree all glittering with ornaments and lights and Saturday all day will be open house for the youngsters of Sedalia. All children under 12 are invited to visit the police station anytime Saturday and see the tree and there will be treats for them all.

The men in the blue uniforms and shiny stars have been working every spare minute while off duty getting ready for Christmas and they expect all the children to come see them, these men who enforce the law and order in the town. They want the youngsters to know what nice people they really are, and they are going to be disappointed if they don't have a steady stream of youngsters in the police station all day Saturday to see their tree and receive their treats.

That isn't all of the Christmas the police department plans either. They are getting ready between 30 and 40 baskets for the needy in which there will be chicken and all the trimmings including about 18 different articles.

And so, if the people of Sedalia won't have a Merry Christmas this year it certainly won't be because the police department isn't doing its share to make it one.

Court Orders a Phone Refund

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 21—(AP)—Circuit Judge Sam C. Blair today ordered Southwestern Bell Telephone company to refund $400,000 to its Missouri customers.

The amount was collected from Feb. 1, 1949, through March 9, 1949, under rate increase that later was declared invalid. Evetually, under a later increase, the company got a rate boost of $3,400,000, but it did not become effective until after the $400,000 had been collected.

Attorneys for Bell said they would appeal the refund ruling to the state supreme court.

Wilson Defense Director

Names Gen. Lucius Clay And Sidney Weinberg to be His Assistants

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Charles E. Wilson took office today as director of defense mobilization and immediately appointed General Lucius Clay and banker Sidney Weinberg as his assistants.

Wilson, former president of General Electric, told reporters of the two appointments at the White House after taking the oath of office in President Truman's presence.

Wilson said Clay and Weinberg will serve without compensation.

Clay, former U. S. commander at Berlin, is relinquishing his duties as chairman of the board of the Continental Can Co.

Weinberg is senior partner of Goldman, Sachs and company, New York investment banking firm. He was a vice-chairman of the war production board in World War II.

Vinson Administers Oath

The oath was administered to Wilson by Chief Justice Vinson in Mr. Truman's circular office. The three men stood beneath a large portrait of George Washington.

W. Stuart Symington, chairman of the National Security Resources board, some of whose duties Wilson is taking over in the mobilization job, stepped up after the ceremony smiling and said, "Let me be the first to congratulate you."

Wilson told reporters his immediate plans are to continue just what he is doing now—that is, surveying the job that must be done, and getting "just as many facts as I can."

Wilson took the oath of office well under 24 hours after the Senate rushed through confirmation of his appointment.

Already, in another step toward cushioning the shock of the defense buildup on the nation's economy, the government had asked 250 large corporations to give at least seven days' notice before raising prices on any major products.

Economic Stabilization Director Alan Valentine said this would give his agency time to study the proposals and decide if they were justified. If not, the agency could ask or order their abandonment.

Valentine telegraphed the companies to give such advance notices on any line in which they do an annual business of $500,000 or more.

The economic stabilization agency (ESA), also told General Motors corporation that its appeal for modification of an automobile price roll-back has been rejected.

Hold Price Line

Two firms asked to help hold the price line—International Harvester company and Socony-Vacuum Oil company — wired agreement to go along. Sinclair Oil corp., officials said their company would comply. And Standard Oil company (New Jersey) officials said compliance was up to affiliated operating firms but added they would be "surprised if the affiliates did not go along."

International Harvester announced it is withdrawing price increases announced December 12 and voluntarily rolling prices back to December 1 levels. It said, however, that this creates a hardship and the firm will press for early government hearings on reinstatement of the price increases.

Commenting on the rapid development in the fight against inflation, Rep. Sheppard (D-Calif) said today that lack of controls retroactive to June already has cost the military rearmament program $5,300,000,000 due to price increases.

Sheppard is vice-chairman of the House Armed Services committee.

And the Senate Appropriations committee issued a statement criticizing the soaring prices by rubber tires, uniforms, parachutes

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Children Ill After Christmas Party

EAGLE PASS, Tex., Dec. 21—(AP)—The Christmas party at little Quemado Valley school ended in an unhappy day for hospitals when 58 small children were apparently stricken with food poisoning.

None of the children were believed seriously ill, although all were held for observation last night.

Extra doctors sped here yesterday from as far as Del Rio, 56 miles away.

The students began feeling ill shortly after refreshments were served.

Defense Billions Voted

$20,000,000,000 is Approved in Senate And $1,600,000,000 In Construction

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Working at top speed, the Senate today voted $20,000,000,000 for defense spending and gave approval for $1,600,000,000 of special defense construction, much of it top secret.

Both measures were passed by voice votes.

The $1,600,000,000 authorization measure goes on to President Truman. The House passed it yesterday.

The big appropriation bill, a catch-all for funds asked by President Truman since Communist Chinese forces surged into Korean, goes back to the House.

As the bill cleared the Senate it carried some $2,000,000,000 more than voted by the House. These differences are expected to be adjusted quickly.

Senator Russell (D.-Ga.), acting chairman of the Armed Services committee, asked the Senate to put through the authorization bill first.

For Many Projects

The spending bill, Russell explained, contains the money for more than 90 per cent of the projects in the authorization bill.

In a burst of speed, his committee had approved the authorization bill in a brief session this morning.

On the House side of the capitol, leaders had to drop plans to rush through a bill giving President Truman additional emergency powers.

Fewer than half the members answered the first roll call and the leadership decided to postpone a vote on the measure until Jan. 1. A majority of the members must be present in order for the House to do business.

St. Louis Over Top For Chest

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21—(AP)—The greater St. Louis Community Chest campaign has gone over the top, with receipts totaling $5,154,123, 100.1 per cent of a record peacetime quota.

It was the city's first completely successful chest drive since 1944.

The announcement was made at a victory dinner yesterday for Community Chest workers.

Santa Already Reaches South Bend

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 21—(AP)—Santa is already in South Bend.

Early this morning, Patrolman Michael Santa (that's his name, sure enough) delivered a baby daughter to Mrs. Josephine Kotowski in a police ambulance.

The baby arrived when the ambulance was still several blocks from a hospital.

Exchanges Close Saturday

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Financial and commodity exchanges throughout the United States will be closed Saturday, Dec. 23 and Christmas day, Dec. 25. Various livestock reports will be issued as usual on Saturday, Dec. 23.

West Germans to Fix a Stiff Price on Troops Use

By Dewitt Mackenzie
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The West German government at Bonn is expected to demand a stiff price for participation in the new international military organization under General Eisenhower for defense of the western world.

The German attitude is based on the admitted fact that not only is the western reich vital to the allies strategically, but German manpower also is needed. The allied plan has contemplated the incorporation of about 150,000 German troops in the defense army, but they would be divided into small groups of perhaps 6,000.

The allies of course have aimed at maintaining safeguards against a revival of German military power capable of aggression. There has been some talk of allowing the Germans representation on Eisenhower's staff but they would

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Beachhead Calm As Barrages By Land And Air Halt Reds

Judging Tonight On Decorations

The homes entered in the Christmas Home Decoration Contest sponsored by the Independent Retail Grocers Association will be judged tonight by out-of-town judges starting at about 6:00 o'clock.

All homes entered are asked to have their lights on at 6:00 o'clock and leave them on through the entire evening. With so many entries it will take the judges quite sometime to see all of the houses and decide on the three best in each class, indoor decorations which may be seen through a window and outdoor decorations.

Two members of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, William Hurlbut, Jr., and George Dugan,, who are familiar with the town will drive the judges around to see the homes listed.

Pope to Conduct Midnight Mass

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 21—(AP)—Pope Pius will celebrate a Christmas midnight mass in St. Peter's Basilica for Holy year pilgrims, it was announced today.

The Pontiff will hold his last general audience of the Holy year, in St. Peter's Saturday, and on the following day, Christmas eve, will close the Basilica's Holy door.

Tomorrow the major relics of the Catholic church will be exposed in St. Peter's for veneration of the faithful. These are a piece of the cross upon which Jesus Christ was crucified, the lance that the Roman soldier Longinius used to pierce His side and the kerchief with which Veronica wiped His face on the way to Calvary.

Mass Executions Are to Cease

SEOUL, Dec. 21—(AP)—United Nations officials said today the Republic of Korea government has promised to stop mass executions of convicted persons. They said executions henceforth would be carried out individually and only in the cases of the "most heinous" crimes.

The promise was announced a day after British Brigadier Tom Brodie stopped some executions, saying he would "not have people executed on my doorstep." A British source said he intervened against the shooting of civilians after 23 had been "done in."

Brodie's Northumberland Fusiliers took over "execution hill," site of some shootings by government order, Tuesday in what was described as a move against such acts.

The U.N. Commission for the Unification and Rehabilitation of Korea (UNCURK) said the government has pledged that henceforth "all executions will be carried out individually and not in groups" and that sentences for all but the "most heinous" crimes would be reduced to prison terms.

Before the U.N. announcement the Korean minister of justice said some reports of the mass executions Dec. 15 on execution hill north of Seoul were a "vicious slander."

Increase Coffee And Soap Powder Prices

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21—(AP)—Citing rising costs, the Kroger Co. hiked its coffee and soap powder prices today in this area. The retail price of coffee was increased three cents a pound and soap powder two cents for a standard-size box, the company said.

"Increased wholesale prices, higer wages and other increased operating costs have caused higher retail prices on many items," a spokesman for the company branch serving 26 Missouri counties and 15 Illinois counties said.

"Since the start of the Korean war we have made a sincere effort to hold the line on food prices. However our ability to prevent price increases is limited. We cannot control the prices we pay for merchandise."

He said wholesale coffee prices had increased 17.8 per cent and soap and soap powder 23 per cent in the past six months.

Holdup Men Give Back $25 As "Christmas Present"

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Joseph Cosgrove told police that two holdup men early today took his wallet, containing $385, and then handed back $25 with the comment: "This is your Christmas present."

Gifford Rides Coach to Palace to Present Credentials

LONDON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Walter S. Gifford took the traditional ride in a coach to Buckingham palace today to present his credentials as the new U. S. ambassador to the Court of Saint James.

He was received by King George VI at noon.

Coasts 'Armed To Teeth' as Our Frontiers

Hoover Thinks It's 'Folly' to War Reds Abroad

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover urged the nation last night to concentrate on fortifying the Western hemisphere, as a "Gibraltar."

He called on his fellow-countrymen to "arm to the teeth" to hold the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, with the island outposts of Britain, Japan, Formosa and the Philippines.

Mr. Hoover, speaking on radio and television, said he would be "sheer folly" to engage in land war with Communist hordes in Asia or the continent of Europe.

He urged the United States to "arm our air and naval forces to the teeth" to defend the frontiers he laid out.

Mr. Hoover said the Communists could never break through American sea and air power to invade the Western hemisphere. "They can no more reach Washington in force than we can reach Moscow," he declared.

At another point, he expressed the opinion that the atomic bomb is "a far less dominant weapon than it was once thought to be."

The only living ex-President, making one of the most important addresses of his long public career, said "it is clear that the United Nations are defeated in Korea."

It would be "inviting another Korea," he declared, to send more troops or money to Western European nations before they had armed themselves as a "sure dam against the Red flood."

Defense of Western continental Europe rests primarily on the European nations themselves, the 76-year-old former chief executive told his audiences across the nation.

"We have little need for large armies unless we are going to Europe or China," he said. Land war with the Communist masses in Asia or Western Europe "would be the graveyard of millions of American boys and would end in the exhaustion of this Gibraltar of Western civilization."

Mr. Hoover said Western European nations should arm themselves with combat divisions of "huge numbers" before the United States lands "another man or another dollar on their shores."

Adding to his prepared text, Mr. Hoover said "I devoutely hope

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Five-Year Term To Bergdoll

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Alfred Bergdoll, son of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, notorious draft dodger of World War I, was sentenced today to five years in prison for dodging the 1950 draft.

The penalty was the maximum for violating the selective service act.

Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan told the 23-year-old defendant that if he changed his mind within the next 60 days and desired "to do your duty" his case would be reconsidered.

In imposing sentence, Judge Ryan told Bergdoll:

"You have made yourself the object of scorn and contempt, particularly of the men and women of your generation."

Declaring other young men and women were "making supreme and heroic sacrifices in the armed forces, the judge added:

"I do not know whether the country now wants your help in its present difficulty.

"I have the power to change or modify your sentence within 60 days. If during that time you desire to and you are prepared to do your duty and fulfill your obligation without reservation of any kind, you may communicate with me in writing and I will reconsider your case; otherwise, the sentence remains."

Frozen Bodies of Foe Litter Snow Crusted Flank Of Defense Ring

By Olen Clements

TOKYO, Dec. 21—(AP)—The Hungnam beachhead lay quiet today after Allied land-sea-air barrages mowed down and rolled back the Reds' most menacing attack on the perimeter.

Frozen bodies of Chinese and white-robed Korean Reds littered the snow-crusted east flank of the United Nations defense ring where the attack was made.

Communist survivors apparently were numbed to a standstill by the fury of 'round-the-clock bombardment Wednesday by Allied warships, planes and land artillery.

Field dispatches reported the shattered survivors were thrown back from the point of gravest peril to the Allied forces holding their last sliver of northeast Korea around Hungnam on the Sea of Japan shore.

Quiet also was reported on the western Korean front.

General MacArthur's headquarters reported the Chinese had suffered heavy losses at a ratio of 10 to 1—during the darkest days of the Allied retreat from most of North Korea, Nov. 27 to Dec. 12.

The United Nations commander reported U.N. casualties in the Nov. 27-Dec. 12 period at 12,325, not including those suffered by Republic of Korea (ROK) forces. All of the Allied killed, wounded and missing during the two-week period were American except 1,011 from other U.N. forces.

List U.S. Casualties

The latest defense department casualty list, issued Thursday and covering notifications of relatives through Dec. 15, showed total casualties of 36,421, including 6,180 dead.

The Chinese have been around the Hungnam beachhead in great force for days, but it was apparent that the battling retreat of U.S. Marines and 10th Corps Doughboys farther north had badly crippled an estimated 10 Red divisions.

Red efforts to reorganize their forces were progressing slowly—too slowly to hamper the planned withdrawal of American forces on the Hungnam beach. U.S. losses there are reported extremely small considering the action involved.

AP correspondents Tom Lambert and Stan Swinton, in the beachhead, reported enemy inactivity on the Hungnam perimeter had field commanders worried, although they said they were certain that steady pounding by warplanes, field artillery and big naval guns had hurt the Reds badly.

Comment Favorable On Hoover Speech

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Herbert Hoover's office today reported a "tremendous, favorable response" to his speech last night proposing a western hemisphere defense against Communist aggression.

"The telephone hasn't stopped ringing," said an office spokesman. "Telegrams are arriving in floods. They started coming in even before Mr. Hoover returned to his office from the broadcasting station.

"Not one message has been unfavorable."

The Weather



WARMING UP

Central Missouri: Mostly fair tonight and Friday. Low tonight near 30. Warmer Friday, highest in 50s.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 29 degrees; 2 p. m. 47 degrees.

Lake of Ozarks: 17.5; fall .1.

• *Thought for Today*

And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all they strength: this is the first commandment. — Mark 12:30.

Parent-Teacher Meetings

The Parent Teachers Associations met as follows last week:

The Mark Twain P. T. A. held its regular meeting Friday, December 15 at 7:30 p. m.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. C. L. Kelly. She thanked both parents and teachers for their help in making the school carnival a success.

The devotional was led by Mrs. William Meyer.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Marion Mongtomery, the music teacher and consisted of the folowing: Chorale—J. S. Bach: Chorale — Gounad orchestra: Christmas carols; "We Three Kings of Orient Are"—chorus and the soloists were Bob Walch, Bob Austin and John Walch; Jingle Bell March— Susan Schien—violinist, Sandra McLaughlin—violinist and Marilyn Kelly, pianist; "No Candle Was There and No Fire"—chorus and the soloists were John David Catren and Teddy Walch; "I Wonder As I Wader" and "Silent Night."

The Horace Mann P. T. A. met Friday afternoon, December 15 at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. David M. Bryant, guest speaker spoke on "The Tragedy of Christmas."

A Christmas program was given by the following grades: Grade 1 taught by Mrs. Treva Baier; Grade 1 taught by Mrs. Gladys Vaughn; Grade 2 taught by Mrs. Madeleine Burks; Grade 2 taught by Mrs. Margaret Harned: Grade 3 taught by Mrs. Vera Harris; Grade 3 taught by Mrs. Elizabeth Burford.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Gene Herrick.

The Room Count awards were won by Grade 1 Mrs. Treva Baier downstairs and Grade 4 Mrs. Lucille Hudson, upstairs.

A short executive meeting was held preceding the regular P. T. A. meeting.

The Jefferson School P. T. A. held its regular meeting Friday evening, December 15 at 7:30 p. m. with the president, Mrs. Charles Poynter presiding.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Verney Engholm, who read "The Christmas Story."

The Room Count award went to Room 6, Mrs. Linney Swearingen teacher.

The program was given by the school with "Christmas in Many Lands" as the theme. Mrs. Ruth Riley, music teacher was in charge of the program. Billy Ellison was the master of ceremonies. The children were dressed in the costume of the country they represented. They were as follows: Grade 1, Holland; Grade 2, Spain; Grade 3, America; Grade 4, Switzerland; Grade 5, Christmas Everywhere; Grade 6, England; and Grade 7, France.

The Whittier P. T. A. held their regular meeting Friday, December 15 at 7:30 p. m.

A Christmas musical was presented by the third grade with the teachers, Mrs. Ora Stephens and Mrs. Vivian Kindred in charge.

The speaker of the evening was Rev. Walter P. Arnold. He compared the times of Christ to times of today in his Christmas message.

A short business meeting followed the program with Mrs. L. E. Sheridan, the president, presiding.

The Washington P. T. A. met Friday night, December 15 at the school at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Howard Gwinn, president, in charge.

The program was opened with a piano solo, "Joy to the World" by Beth Wicker.

The Christmas story found in St. Luke Chap. 2 verses 1 to 20 was the theme of the devotional given by Mrs. Garnett Starkey.

The Washington football boys were introduced by John Daly.

The Christmas story was beautifully portrayed by the 5th, 6th and 7th grades under the direction of Miss Eugenia Arnold. Faculty in charge, scenery, Mrs. Mary Maddow; lighting, John Daly; manger scene, Mrs. C. E. Van Horn; Shepherds, Mrs. Mae Terrill; Angels, Miss Zanie Medlock.

The Christmas story was enacted in five scenes. The reader was Deannie Crouse.

The children's chorus sang several Christmas songs which emphasized each scene.

A trumpet solo was by Ronnie Hoppes with Manice Ringen, piano accompanist, a violin solo by Karen Crosslin with Miss Eugenia Arnold, piano accompanist and Dicky Shoemaker played a piano solo.

Rev R. L. Bower, pastor of First Methodist church also gave a talk on the Christmas story.

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MEN'S SUITS

Close Out

At Only $22

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MEN'S SUITS

Close Out

At Only $32

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Archives Ball At Park Hall

The Archives Ball was held at Convention Hall Wednesday night with about 75 couples in attendance. This formal affair, which is sponsored by the Smith-Cotton Archives staff (Smith-Cotton year book) is probably the last student dance that will be held in the hall since the new cafeteria is nearly completed and dancing will be permitted there.

The dance opened with the grand march. Lawrence Cottingham and Miss Ruth Ann Decker, and Miss Jo Ann Pasley and her escort, Tom Menefee, headed the march. They were followed by the Archives queen, Miss Pat Curnutt and James Jordan, Johnson, Miss Verna Mae Williams and Bob Schultz, Miss Jane Morgan and Conrad Knight.

Lawrence Cottingham and Miss Jo An Pasley, who are the co-editors of the Archives crowned Miss Curnutt as Archives queen of 1950-51.

Music was furnished by Ralph Walker and his orchestra. Several faculty members were present.

Moose Be Hosts To Girls and Boys

The Sedalia Moose club is undertaking a project of entertaining all of the boys and girls in Sedalia twelve years old and younger. The Moose are holding their first annual party at their club rooms, in the old Post Office building, Second street and Lamine avenue, Sunday afternoon.

The party is scheduled to start promptly at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon and last until 5:00 o'clock.

Arrangements have been made to take care of several hundred children. The committee in charge has arranged to give each child a sack of candy, soft drinks and a hot dog or two.

Al Newman, chairman of the committee, said he was told by Santa Claus that he would be on hand personally for the party and visit with the children. He also said games are being arranged for the children who should remain longer than just to receive his or her treats.

Christmas Dinner Given by Class

The Young Married People's Sunday school class of the First Assembly of God had a fellowship Christmas dinner in the basement of the Broadway Methodist church Monday evening.

A gift exchange followed the dinner.

The feature of the evening's entertainment was a film showing scenes in Rome, Egypt, the Holy Land and other interesting places by the Rev. Bird Campbell, who made a trip to all of the places shown a few months ago.

Members attending were Mrs. Bertha Puckett, teacher, Mrs. Mary Rabourn, Mrs. Evelyn Rabourn, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bellah, Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Harbin, Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs John Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Keele, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Killion, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pummill, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rhinehart, Raymond Rash, Mr. and Mrs. George Riley, Mr. and Mrs Paul Adams, Mrs. Al Jones, Mrs. Dorothy Moffatt, Della Fern Rhinehart, Colleen Rhinehart, and Orval Henderson.

Special guests were Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. George Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jones, Sonny Rabourn and Mrs. Clark Woolery.

Increase of 2543 In U. S. Casualties

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—The Defense Department raised its total of announced Korean battle casualties to 36,421 today. This was a rise of 2,543 since its last report a week ago.

Of these, 5,518 were listed as killed in action, 25,587 wounded and 5,316 missing. Of the wounded, 662 later died, bringing total deaths to 6,180.

The department announces only casualties whose next of kin has received notification. Today's report covers notifications through midnight of Dec. 15.

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Church News

The County Line Baptist W. M. S. met with Mrs. Ralph Minor at her new home last Thursday. The home was decorated with the traditional Christmas decorations. A dinner was held at the noon hour. In the morning a royal service program was held. It was in charge of Mrs. Rolla Robbitt, who is president and Mrs. Kenneth Petering, who is program chairman.

In the afternoon the annual Lottie Moon program and offering was held. Those present and taking part in the program were: Mrs. Rolla Bobbit, Mrs. Kenneth Petering, Mrs. Walter Pippin, Mrs. Harry Eichholz, Mrs. Robert Hall, Mrs. E. F. Patterson, Mrs. Forest Winston, Mrs. Guy McCubbin, Mrs. Lloyd Finley, Mrs. James Greer, Mrs. Nona Hoke, Mrs. Tom Warren and Mrs. Marion Miner.

There were five visitors present.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. F. Patterson January 18. The church will have its Christmas program Christmas eve at 8:00 o'clock.

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the East Broadway Christian church, will meet this evening 7:30 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, 1605 South Carr avenue.

Bring your gifts for the members of the Christian Old Folks home at Jacksonville, Ill.

Miss Frances Garman will have the devotional.

Rec. J. M. Watts will be the speaker of the evening, speaking on the topic, "The Town and Country Church."

Wounds Girl; Then Ends Life

SANBORN, Minn., DDec. 21—(AP)A 16-year-old girl, helping her mother clean a church for Christmas was shot and seriously wounded Wednesday by an elderly junk dealer who then killed himself in the church. The girls' infant brother was also wounded.

Carol Koklep, suffered a bullet wound in the lower abdomen. Jerry Koklep, 2, suffered a leg wound.

The shots were fired by Louis C. Miller, in his mid 70's. Sheriff George Matson said Miller, a former inmate of the state hospital for inebriates, had been "bothering young girls." Matson said the man apparently had been drinking.

The mother was in the church basement at the time of the shooting.

Home From Hospital

Mrs. Alfred Stoffel of route 1, Sedalia, was brought home from Research hospital today. She is doing fine.

Marriage License Issued

Eugene Mason, Brunswick and Melba Dean Cazzell, Keytesville.

West Germans to Fix a Stiff Price On Troops Use

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not have a general staff of their own or ministries of defense or foreign affairs.

However, the Bonn government, under Chancellor Konrad Adenauer, has been demanding full equality with other nations in the defense plans. Naturally the allies couldn't use compulsion and they wouldn't wish to do so if they could. The Germans must act of their own free will.

Chancellor Adenauer has some strong arguments at his command if he chooses to use them. Not the least of these is that the Germans are among the world's finest soldiers. Their staff work is of very high order.

Be a Big Asset

To my mind, however, the supreme argument lies in the fact that untold thousands of Germans, who would be available for military service, fought in the late war against the Russians.

These German officers and men know the Russian military methods and fighting ability as no other people do. That is an invaluable asset in view of the fact the defense army is being created to guard against possible attack from the east.

Charges Filed as Accident Result

Ted F. Maybery, Kansas City, arrested following a three-car accident on Highway 50 near Muddy Bridge, west of Sedalia, Tuesday night, was bound over to the criminal division of the Pettis county circuit court Wednesday afternoon. Maybery appeared before Magistrate Harold W. Barrick and waived his hearing on a charge of driving a car while intoxicated.

Unable to furnish a $1,000 bond for his appearance in the higher court, Maybery was committed to the county jail.

Maybery was the driver of one car which figured in the accident. State Senator John Hoshor of Savannah, Mo., was the driver of one of the cars and J. B. Russell, former Sedalian, driver of the third vehicle.

Two Petitions For Divorce Are Filed

Two divorce petitions were filed in the Pettis county circuit court today.

Gerald Meredith Nicholson a minor, against Anna Lou Nicholson. General indignities were alleged by the plaintiff.

They were married June 25, 1950 and separated December 17, 1950.

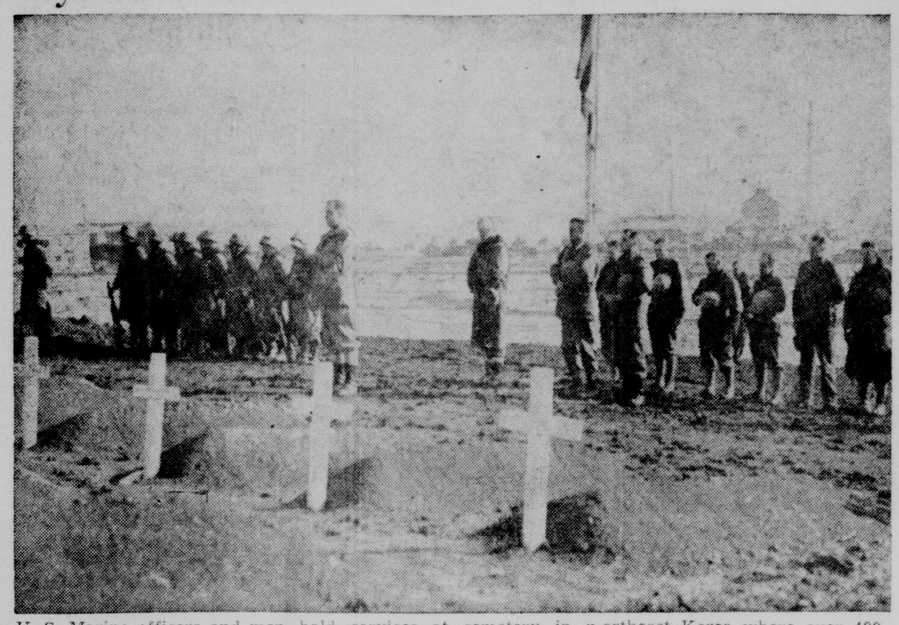
Bamburg and Bogutski are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Dan P. Green, Jr., against Zona E. Green. General indignities were alleged. The petition states the couple was married in 1930 and divorced in 1945. They were remarried March 3, 1947 and separated in May, 1949.

George H. Miller is the attorney for the plaintiff.

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Prayers For the Fallen



U. S. Marine officers and men hold services at cemetery in northeast Korea where over 400 marines are buried. Chaplains of the Protestant, Jewish and Catholic faiths led services for the heroic men. (Acme Telep hoto by staff photographer Richard Ferguson)

Coasts 'Armed To Teeth' as Our Frontiers

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a maximum of cooperation can be established between the British commonwealth and ourselves."

The ex-President criticizes the British for "flirting with appeasement of Communist China."

New Battle Looms

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—A new congressional battle loomed today over former President Hoover's proposals to shorten America's defense lines and arm the Navy and Air Force "to the teeth" to defend the nation's Atlantic and Pacific frontiers.

Republican Senate leader Wherry of Nebraska said Hoover's proposals "collide directly with those of President Truman and Congress and the public must decide who is right."

Most Democratic party leaders avoided immediate comment but Senator Lehman (D.-N.Y.) said: "t appears to me to be a plea for a return to complete isolationism. If we followed President Hoover's suggestion, we would find ourselves isolated and without any friends in the world."

Senators of both parties agreed on one thing—that last night's broadcast proposals by the only living former president would echo in Congress for some time to come.

Many Republicans in Congress were quick to cheer Hoover's sharp dissent from the Truman-Acheson policy.

Taft Agrees in Part

Senator Taft (R.-Ohio), chairman of the Senate GOP policy committee, told a reporter he agrees with "many of the general principles" Hoover stated.

Taft said some would term the speech isolationist but added that "Mr. Hoover presents very forcefully a point of view which certainly should have the immediate consideration of the Congress."

The Ohio senator plans a similar speech of his own.

On the Dotted Line



Tight-lipped Harry S. Truman is shown at his desk in the White House signing the proclamation declaring a national emergency. The President called for expansion of the armed forces, vast defense production and wage-price controls. (NEA Telephoto)

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Big Tanks as Easy to Drive As Cars Help Speed the Armored Force Training

By Douglas Larsen
NEA Staff Correspondent

FORT KNOX, Ky. — (NEA) — You can drive the newest of the big Patton tanks almost as easily as you can drive your own car.

I was given a chance to drive one of the 47½-ton monsters at the Army's Armored School at Fort Knox. It was newly equipped with a steering wheel and automatic shifting, and once I found the gas pedal, it was as simple as starting out in a 1950 sedan.

Training tank drivers normally takes a little time. But the big cry from U. S. forces in Korea has been: "Give us more tank men." So the armored experts began looking for ways to shorten the time it takes to learn to pilot a tank.

The standard method of driving has been with a "wobble stick" or with two levers, one to control the speed of each tread so you can change direction. There's a complicated gear shift, too. The transition from jeep to tank was about as confusing as changing from a bicycle to an airplane.

Now they're testing the big M-46 Pattons with a conventional steering wheel and hydromatic drive.

All you do is move a lever from neutral to forward, step on the gas, and off you rumble. To turn right, you turn the wheel right, just as if you were making a right turn on Main street in your own jalopy.

After I had my first spin as a tank driver, they let me climb inside the gunner's seat and fire the huge 90 mm. cannon.

When you stand within 100 feet of the tank outside as the cannon goes off, it's a lot more noisy and uncomfortable than when you're right inside pulling the trigger. Even though your ear rests on the loading breech as you aim and fire, the jolt and the noise are both mild.

Right now the Armored School is turning out tankmen in double time as a result of the word coming back from Korea.

Just how many officers and enlisted men trained in all departments of tank and armored warfare are being turned out here every month is a secret. But the school's output has been more than doubled since Korea. And there are plans to double it again soon.

It was the trained tankmen rushed out from Ft. Knox who helped stop the Russian heavy tanks in Korea ,this summer. When they finally got into action with their Pattons, the Russian-made heavies didn't look quite so formidable as they did at the start, against the U. S. light tanks.

Basic armored tactics, according to the experts here, aren't much different for Korea from what has been taught at the school since World War II. But some of Korea's lessons have been incorporated into the courses. For instance, the men are being taught use of tanks over rougher terrain. And they are being taught to work in closer liaison with other ground units.

Officers who go through this armored school have already spent several years with regular infantry units. The enlisted men have had a couple of years with basic ground units before being admitted. The officer course is between 11 and eight weeks. Enlisted men learn maintenance, gunnery and other tank specialties in slightly less than that time.

Many National Guardsmen are learning tank warfare here. In spite of the fact that graduates of the school are almost sure to head for Korea, there is good morale among the officer and enlisted men students.

Despite all that has been said and written about the superiority of Russian tanks and Russian armored tactics, there's not a student in this school who believes it.



IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT: Reporter Douglas Larsen found new tank with steering wheel was just like driving his own sedan.



READY FOR ROUGH GOING: To meet conditions such as this tank faced in Korea, Ft. Knox teaches riding the rough terrain.

Mail Truck Toppled Over



Larry Vilmer, 19, of 1012 East Tenth street, was severely injured when the above U. S. mail truck was in a collision with a 1946 Pontiac coach driven by Mrs. John Rose, 2200 East Twelfth street, at Pettis street and Washington avenue Tuesday afternoon. Vilmer was riding the truck with Glenn Johnson, 1503 South Quincy, working as a helper on the parcel post delivery. He is in the Bothwell hospital suffering from a head laceration, bruises and shock. (Staff photo)

Censorship Right Imposed

TOKYO, Dec. 21—(AP)—General MacArthur's headquarters Wednesday imposed the right of censorship over all news of Korean military operations without calling it an act of censorship.

A memorandum from MacArthur's public information officer, Col. M. P. Echols, said news dispatches and photographs must be submitted in Korea or Japan for security "screening" and clearance by military authorities before being sent out.

The brief announcement did not specify any penalty for evasion or violation.

The order was effective immediately. The Tokyo headquarters press advisory division immediately became swamped with copy. The division up to then had operated solely as a guiding influence on news involving security.

Today's clearance-before-filing order was announced just after a news service (not the Associated Press), was advised by MacArthur's headquarters that it was in "clear violation" of security for mentioning the present dimensions of the Hungnam beachhead in Northeast Korea and describing the beachhead as an "escape pocket."

A security blackout on some activities in the beachhead has prevailed since U. N. forces fell back to it earlier this month.

There are more than 110,000 habitual users of narcotics in the United States, according to estimates of the public health service.

More than 450 people were killed in the San Francisco earthquake and fire of April 18, 1906.

Youth Shot By Sniper

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21 —(AP)—A 16-year-old boy was shot tonight by a mysterious sniper on the northern edge of Philadelphia He was the eighth victim of an unknown assailant in the area in six weeks.

Earlier Wednesday a Philedelphian was shot by a sniper in south Philadelphia. Police do not believe this shooting had any connection with the work of the unknown sniper.

The wounded boy is George Haller, Jr., a student at Benjamin Franklin high school. A bullet fired by a .22 caliber rifle tore through the boy's shoulder. Doctors said he was not wounded seriously.

Police authorities said the bullet fired at young Haller was of the same type as that which killed Mrs. Claire Cohen, 28-year-old housewife Saturday night. Mrs. Cohen was the only sniper victim wounded fatally.

The victim of the predawn shooting was Richard C. Lavery, 54-year-old Republican division committeeman and job printer. He was in a critical condition last night at a hospital.

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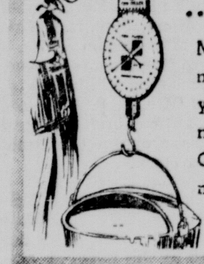
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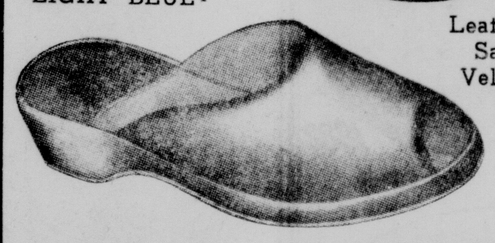
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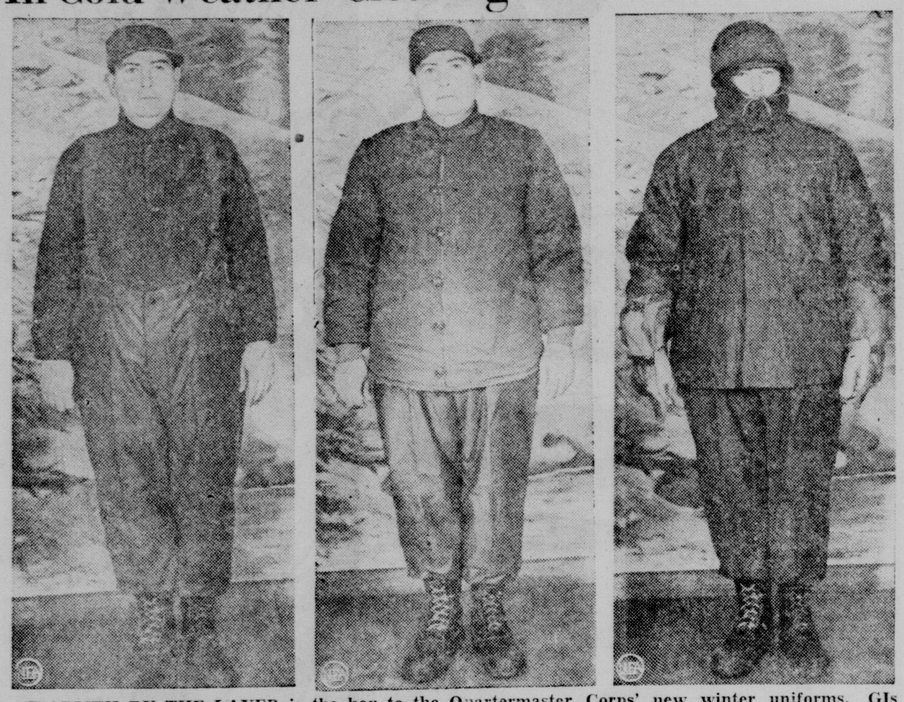
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Freezing Korean Winter is Icy Proving Ground as Army Unveils Latest In Cold Weather Clothing



WARMTH BY THE LAYER is the key to the Quartermaster Corps' new winter uniforms. GIs can shed or add layers as the mercury goes up or down. Basic uniform (left) is topped by pile jacket (center) and the standard field jacket with button-up hood under helmet (right).

By Douglas Larsen
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WASHINGTON — NEA — The bitterly cold mountains of North Korea will tell U. S. military experts whether or not they have licked one of the most chronic and dangerous weaknesses of the U. S. Army—the inability to operate effectively in frigid weather.

Russian troops are master of cold weather and Arctic fighting. It's obvious that if war with the Red army should ever come this advantage would be exploited to the fullest. It was the margin of Russian victory over Hitler's efficient war machine.

Realizing its seriousness, the U. S. army has spent hundreds of millions of dollars on research and development since World War II to lick this advantage. It involved the elaborate staging of many cold weather maneuvers.

In the past the trouble has been both clothing and equipment plus the lack of planning necessary to get cold weather gear to the troops when they first needed it.

Pentagon spokesmen chaim that the latter difficulty is already licked. There is enough warm clothing of the most modern type for all the troops in Korea who will need it, they insist. The only thing for the men over there to do is put it on and wear it properly.

Reports of some troops marching through snow storms in Korea wearing summer khaki uniforms are probably the results of mistakes by unit supply sergeants there, Pentagon officials claim. And even that problem is being licked.

The quartermaster corps has teams traveling all over the front now showing the men the proper way to handle and wear the cold weather clothing that is being issued to them. The best equipment in the world is no good if not used properly.

Most of the clothing being worn by the troops in Korea is supposed to be better than the men had during World War II. Pajama-type, baggy underwear is considered to be the most improved item. It's half cotton, half wool, fits very snug around ankles and wrists, and very loose around the legs.

The looseness is supposed to prevent perspiration by permitting ventilation. And it creates a layer of dead air which is good insulation. The layer theory, with air spaces between, is the basic design of all the clothing.

An improved shoepack with a hard rubber sole, rubber uppers to about the ankle and leather above that, is another item the quartermaster corps is proud of. The leather upper permits ventilation. The rubber bottom keeps out water. The combination prevents trench-foot which results from damp and wet feet becoming very cold.

The Eisenhower jacket of World War II is not being used in Korea. Over their underwear the men wear a flannel shirt. Over that is a high-neck sweater, then a pile-liner, which in turn is covered by the standard field jacket. This combination, it is claimed, makes a man more able to adjust to varying temperatures. He can shed or add any layer he wants to.

The lower part of the body is covered with the underwear, and then wool serge trousers.

A special "trigger finger" mitten is supplied the men in combat. It consists of an outer leather shell and a wool insert. The man slips his index finger out of a special vent and inserts it in a special compartment of the glove which permits firing a gun. The men are instructed to keep all of their own fingers out of the fingers of the gloves when they aren't using their hands.

For extreme Arctic weather the men are given parkas. These include a hood edged with a special fur which will not accumulate ice from a man's breath. It has a pliable wire around the edge and can be fitted around the face to keep out wind. Special felt snow boots are issued with the parka.

Over this uniform there is worn a white parka and pants. This does not contribute to warmth but is strictly for camouflage against the snow.

Pakistan Makes More Cigarettes

KARACHI — (AP) — Cigarette manufacture in Pakistan has registered a spectacular increase from 360,000,000 cigarettes in 1948-50 to 1,800,000,000 in 1950-57. This was announced by the government at a recent meeting of the industries conference. Officials expressed we hope that Pakistan might become self sufficient in cigarettes by 1954-55.

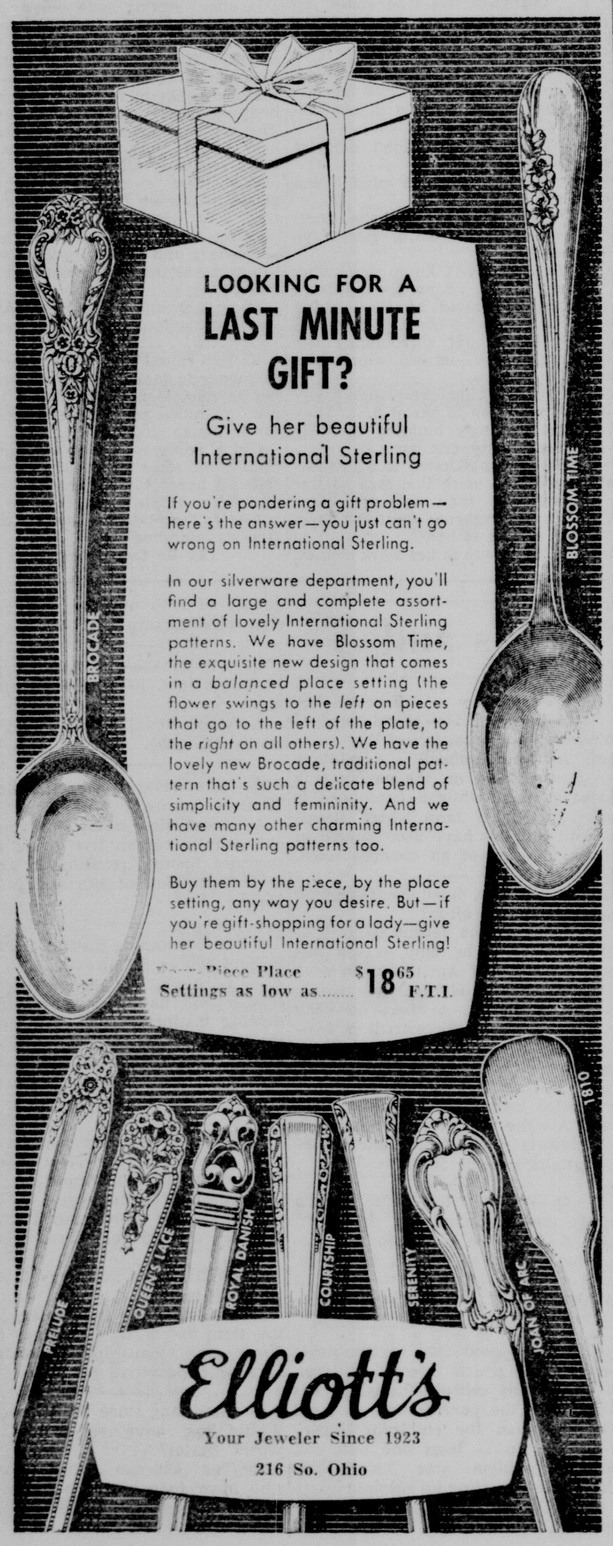
The meeting was told that experimental cultivation of Virginia tobacco had proved successful in northern Pakistan.

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• *The Washington Merry-Go-Round*

U. S. Will Not Organize Anti-Communist Chinese Guerrillas

By Drew Pearson

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WASHINGTON. — White House policy can change overnight, but for the present we have no intention of mobilizing the vast but disorganized army of anti-Communist guerrillas in China. President Truman so advised a group of congressmen at an off-the-record and very candid meeting last week.

Truman also is holding firm to his resolve not to drop the atomic bomb in China or Korea.

"That doesn't mean that we are appeasing the Chinese Communists—far from it," Truman told his callers. "They are aggressors and we will continue to treat them as such."

Truman added that if British Prime Minister Clement Attlee came with any appeasement notions, he left without them. He agreed with Attlee, however, that if we used the A-bomb, Russia would seize the opportunity to retaliate against London, Berlin and Paris.

But the argument that carried the most weight with him, Truman explained, was that we should not atom-bomb Russian sattellites in reprisal against the Kremlin.

Regarding the question of arming Chinese guerrillas against the Communists, the President pointed out that it might lead to a retaliatory Communist move against the Philippines; also that the guerrillas are too "inaccessible" and scattered to be supplied from the air or welded together into an effective fighting force.

NOTE—The congressmen who conferred with the President included Francis Walter of Pennsylvania, Brooks Hays of Arkansas, House whip Percy Priest of Tennessee, all Democrats; with Kenneth Keating of New York and Walter Judd of Minnesota, Republicans.

Capital News Capsules

ANOTHER MUSIC CRITIC—President Truman has a different opinion of at least one music critic—Mrs. Helen Knox Spain of the Atlanta Journal, who wrote such a favorable review of Margaret's concert in Atlanta last season that the President bubbled over with joy and telegraphed the Atlanta Journal for extra copies of Margaret's picture. (Contrary to rumor, the President did not use profane language in his note to critic Paul Hume of the Washington Post.)

SENATOR FROM TENNESSEE — Senator McKellar of Tennessee, grandpa of the Senate, is planning to run again in '52. He told Boss Crump of Memphis about his plans but Crump warned that McKellar was too old. This made the senator so sore that he stomped out of Crump's office and caught the first plane back to Washington.

U.S. TRAINED GERMANS—Without waiting for European diplomats to come to terms, the U.S. Army has quietly trained 10,000 West Germans right under the noses of the Russians to serve as the nucleus for a future West German army. Two thousand have been armed and equipped into battalions in West Berlin, with the rest stationed in four training centers in the western zone under the label of "labor battalions." Actually, they are carefully selected anti-Nazis who will be the officers of the new German army.

Chinese Monroe Doctrine

Most significant news to come out of Asia recently resulted from a talk between Prime Minister Nehru broke the news of the new Chinese Monroe Doctrine for Asia.

Nehru reported that the Indian ambassador in Peiping had cabled that the Chinese Communists were planning to pop a big surprise on the western world in the form of a Monroe doctrine.

This would mean that all white and non-Asiatic nations were to keep out. Any interference, according to the proposed Chinese Monroe doctrine, would be justification for war. The doctrine would also apply to Japan, Prime Minister Nehru informed Ambassador Henderson.

NOTE—Nehru is not in sympathy with the Chinese policy, believes Europeans and Asiatics can cooperate together.

Legal Wire-Tapping

Congressmen will give special attention in January to the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals decision overthrowing the Judy Coplon conviction. In this decision, the three judges took the unusual course of recommending legislation to Congress—something that judges, in our system of checks and balances, seldom do.

Pointing out that the FBI had less power to arrest than the ordinary sheriff, the court recommended that FBI powers to arrest be enlarged; also that certain phases of wire-tapping be declared legal when it involved "espionage, sabotage, kidnapping, extortion and national security."

J. Edgar Hoover has leaned over backward against any illegal use of wire-tapping—unlike many other government agencies, the Washington police and even some senators. In fact, the protection of civil liberties would be much safer if Hoover's bureau alone were allowed to handle wire-tapping.

Congress will consider all this in January.

Defnese Notes

When President Truman first wrote last week's national emergency speech he called for a 4,000,000-man Army and Navy. At the last minute, however, he scaled it down to three and a half million men—a victory for the Air Force. The Air Force wants priority given to airplanes and weapons instead of manpower. . . . Alcide de Gasperi of Italy is the latest European premier to propose a visit to Washington. . . . Chester Bowles, retiring governor of Connecticut, has been offered the very important job of directing the multibillion-dollar arms aid program to Europe. (Bowles has declined the offer of ambassador to the Philippines.) . . . U.S. intelligence expects hordes of Chinese so-called "volunteers" to pour into Indo-China any day. . . . Mayor Martin Kennelly of Chicago has staged a farsighted campaign to alert the public against enemy sabotage. Kennelly put on a real-life show, illustrating how enemy agents could poison Chicago's drinking water.

Washington Pipeline

Senator Pepper's subcommittee, investigating wire-tapping, will call some new witnesses before closing the books on Senator Brewster's wire-tapping activities. . . . The new post of defense mobilization director was offered first to Paul Hoffman, former ECA administrator, before it went to Charles E. Wilson. Hoffman, however, turned it down. . . . Purcell Smith, the $65,000-a-year private power lobbyist, was caught sending notes to Congressman Jensen of Iowa inside the House Appropriations committee—while the committee was debating public power. The lobbyist hid in Jensen's office and sent the notes by messenger. . . . The potent associated farmers and national cannery lobbies are at it again. This time they're working on the House Agriculture committee to repeal the child labor law ban against farm children working during school hours. . . . "Torrid" is the latest Pentagonese for critical materials with high priorities.

Your New Social Security

By Scott Webber

(Manager of the Sedalia Social Security Office)

Women, in general, have greater rights and larger benefits under the recent amendments to federal social security than formerly. This applies to wives, mothers, widows, and to the woman as a worker providing for the family.

For instance, the new law recognizes, and meets to a fuller extent than the original social security, the economic needs of the mother. Heretofore, the wife of a retired and insured worker was not entitled to monthly insurance payments until she too reached age 65. Now, if she has a minor child in her care, she gets monthly payments, regardless of her age.

Under the old law, a mother caring for the minor children of her deceased divorced husband was not entitled to monthly insurance payments in her own right. Now, if she has in her care either their natural child, or legally adopted child entitled to insurance payments, she too, will get monthly payments. However, she must have been receiving at least half her support from the insured divorced husband at the time of his death.

The provision in the new law granting wage credits for service in World War II will also bring new benefits to many women. In addition to the many women who actually served in the armed forces, it will enable many widows of service men to qualify for survivor's benefits. Also widows of such insured workers, with minor children, may now receive insurance payments even though they get compensation or pension under veterans' legislation.

Now, a woman worker has greater protection for both her dependents and her survivors. I have told about the provisions of dependent husbands and dependent widowers of working women insured under social security. Such a woman now has greater protection for her children also. It is now much easier for children to qualify for insurance payments based on their working mother's insurance status. Under the old law, payments based on her work could not be made to her dependent children if the father was living in the home. This was true even though the mother was providing all or most of the children's support. Now children may receive benefits if they were receiving half their support from her, or if she was currently insured when she retired or died. Women, as workers, now have a much broader field in which to gain a livelihood with old-age and survivors insurance protection. Regular domestic employees in private households come under social security in January. This is a type of work in which women predominate. Also, many women work for themselves, and they will have Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance protection under the amended law's provision for the self-employed.

So far, I have discussed the various phases of the new law as it protects the insured worker's family in case of his death, and benefits for him and his family after he retires. In my next article, I shall tell about the provisions made for his more substantial earnings in retirement.

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Twenty-eight carloads of turkeys were shipped out of Clinton last week, the Clinton Daily Democrat reported.

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J. R. Williams, a grocer, purchased a lot and a half at Seventh street and Missouri avenue from S. P. Johns on which he was to erect a modern residence.

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R. C. Collier has been appointed as office deputy for Circuit Clerk-elect G. W. Driskell. He is a graduate of Central college at Fayette.

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James K. Kidd, president of the Germo Manufacturing company, returned from a business trip to Oklahoma City.

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S. E. Cochran, a post office inspector from St. Louis, will succeed Howard B. Mayhew as inspector in Sedalia effective January 1.

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The body of Charles L. Bell, who died in Alaska on November 17, was received in Sedalia and sent to Warsaw for burial.

Q. and A.

You and the Service

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent



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WASHINGTON —(NEA)— **Q. My son has a rupture in his side. Will he be taken in the draft?**

A. As has been stated in this space many times it is impossible to answer this type of question. Only the doctor who examines the man can say whether or not he is physically fit for service. There are only a few obvious physical defects, such as one leg missing, which disqualifies a man for service automatically.

Q. I'm a Marine reserve officer, second lieutenant. I have two children and a home which I am paying for but I also want to get in service. I've volunteered twice and I just get a form letter back saying in effect to sit tight and wait. Just what's the scoop on this?

A. There isn't any scoop. And there's nothing to tell you that wasn't in the form letters sent to you in reply to your offers to go on active duty. You'll be called when and if they need you. However, the longer your call is delayed the less chance there is of your being called. And you will get a four months' notice of it now.

Q. What chance have I of getting a dependency discharge for my son who is in Korea? I have a daughter in high school and am not well. I just can't earn enough to keep us going. What can I do?

A. You can write to the Army Adjutant General, Pentagon, Washington. Or your son can start the proceedings inside his own unit with a letter from you requesting such discharge.

Q. My son has just been classified as 4-F. Does that mean that he will never be drafted?

A. As long as the condition that resulted in your son's being put in that classification continues to exist there is no chance of his being drafted. If that condition changes it is his responsibility to report it to the draft board and take another examination.

Q. My son was discharged from the service once to help take care of me. I am a widow and when I get sick there is no one to support me. He was taken back into service a couple of months ago. I am sick again. Can he get out again?

A. If a man was discharged for hardship reasons once, that does not disqualify him for discharge for that same reason again.

Q. I was in the service for two months in 1946 but was discharged because of bad eyes. Since then I got in trouble with the law and was sent to jail. I am now on parole. Is there a chance of my being drafted?

A. Practically none. They aren't taking persons convicted of a felony. And if your eyes haven't improved they probably wouldn't take you anyway.

The Doctor Says—

Something Can be Done About Smashing Vicious Vice Rackets

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

A concerned young man of 20 recently wrote me that his city was a den of iniquity and that many boys 17 and 18 years old were being victimized and sickened by members of the world's oldest profession. Now the prostitution racket is not confined to any one community—it is a world-wide problem—and it affects the health of millions of people.

Entirely aside from the moral aspects, prostitution is everywhere recognized as the most important agency for distributing the venereal diseases, syphilis ad gonorrhea. There is no use blinking at the facts or trying to hide them.

The amount of illness acquired from this source is colossal. It has wrecked the lives of individuals. The diseases have been carried into the home and have blighted the lives and ruined the health of an untold number of innocent wives and children.

It is a dirty business. The women involved are exploited on all sides. Racketeers, vice lords, and procurers take their cut from whatever the women get. This leads to corruption in public office and all the other faults of a society run by the worst elements. No one is safe from the evil effects.

There are many who say that nothing can be done about it, that it has always existed and always will. This is the counsel of despair. Where would the world be today if all evils had been allowed to flourish without check or hindrance?

Besides something can be done about it and many communities have already succeeded in wiping out the racket. Whenever this has been done the venereal disease rate has fallen speedily. The other argument that "nice" girls would be put in danger has not been borne out by the facts.

Inspection Doesn't Work

In some places commercialized vice has been legalized on the theory that it could be watched more closely and health inspections would decrease the danger from disease. It doesn't work out well. Disease inspection isn't good for long and a "certificate" of freedom from disease is hardly worth the paper on which it appears.

From all angles prostitution is a blot on civilization. It debauches youth and causes illness and misery. It enriches the worst elements of society. It should be fought everywhere because of the evils that it brings.

Children Should be Protected Against Ringworm of Scalp

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

During the past few years a number of communities have been troubled with outbreaks or small epidemics of ringworm of the scalp. This disorder, the medical name for which is tinea capitis, attacks school children in particular and has been responsible for a lot of trouble to parents, teachers, health officials, and physicians, not to mention the youngsters themselves.

The disease tends to spread rapidly from an infected person to a healthy one. The backs of seats are particularly likely to harbor the infection. Consequently buses, streetcars, moving picture theaters and similar places are sources of danger whenever there is an epidemic of this scalp disease.

At least two suggestions have been made to lessen this danger: children should wear hats or caps to protect them, and disposable and frequently changed paper covers or guards can be placed on the backs of seats used by children.

The symptoms of ringworms of the scalp are usually typical. The hair falls out in patches on the back and sides. The skin of the involved part of the scalp becomes scaly and the hairs lose their luster and break off near the roots.

A diagnosis which is medically satisfying can only be made with the help of some special equipment. It involves the use of a special kind of ultra-violet light used in a darkened room. Also scrapings from the scalp must usually be taken and examined under the microscope.

All this is time consuming but if it were done at once on the first child to show suspicious signs it would help to stop the outbreak early and thus save a lot of future trouble.

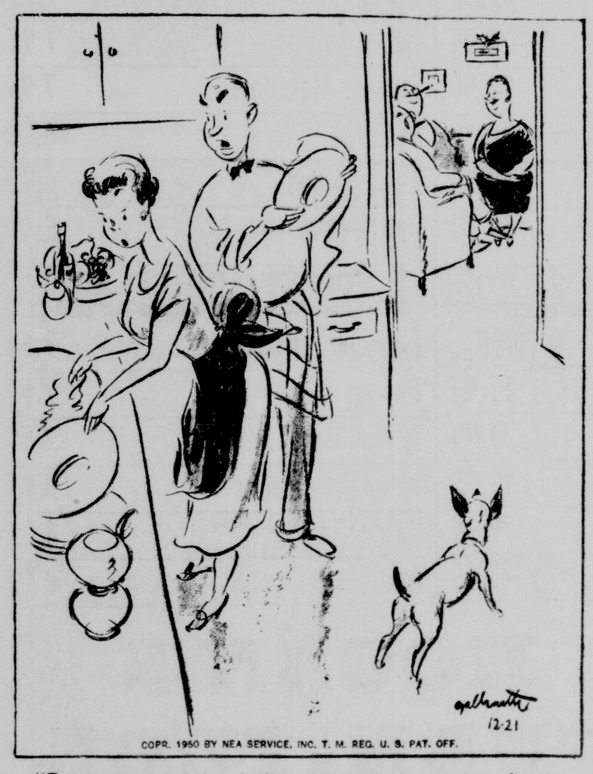
Once ringworm of the scalp has been discovered two steps have to be taken at once. One, of course, is to treat the individual child. Unfortunately there is no quick sure cure and youngsters and parents will have to resign themselves to a long and often discouraging series of treatments.

Localizing It

The other step which has to be taken right way is to try to prevent the spread of the disease. Since it is contagious every effort must be made to protect well children from coming in contact with those who are diseased or with infected objects.

One of the problems which has caused a good deal of trouble is the time which infected children lose from school. Probably this worries the parents and teachers more than the children. Nevertheless in at least one outbreak the problem was successfully solved by setting up special classes for those who acquired the disease.

• Side Glances



"Every year your relatives congregate at our house during the holidays—I'm going in and sell 'em a few bonds!"

'Thanks for the Lift, Sam!'



13 Lucky Guys

by FRANK R. ADAMS

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THERE was a lot of conversation, subdued at first, but growing louder, mostly about the fact that the raise in hourly pay had not been mentioned by any of the speakers at the mass meeting. One group discussed it more emphatically than the others and the crowd began to collect there. In the center of the malcontents was Max Lengel.

"Where do the brass hats get the idea that a pin to wear on your overalls would take the place of money?" he asked, and waited for a low growl from his friends to reassure him. "Why should we work to meet a deadline if we don't get anything out of it?"

"If we strike the government will take over the yards," pointed out one of the older hands.

"Who said anything about a strike?" said Max. "There's a better way and we all know what it is. All we got to do is turn out a little less instead of a little more. They'll get the idea quick enough." He laughed.

"You mean a slowdown?"

Max shrugged. "It don't matter what you call it. We can show them guys in the swivel chairs that we ain't in this for our health any more than they are. They get theirs, don't they? You've heard about cost plus 10 per cent, haven't you?"

Fergus Mahoney, editor of the Westwaygo News, was still in the crowd and, like everyone else, he had been attracted to the group around Max. His son, Oscar, one of Eddie's squad, was with him. Fergus was an important man in the community, and he took a hand in the discussion.

"Listen here, my friends," he said in an authoritative tone, "you mustn't do anything hasty."

"We won't," said Max. "That's the whole idea. We'll do everything slow." He guffawed at his own joke and so did most of the others.

Fergus let them laugh. "What I meant was do not do anything which will besmirch the record of the Westwaygo Boatworks. We're all Americans—we're all patriots—"

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HE went on from there, the flag fluttering helplessly ashamed in his waving hands.

"Why does everyone talk like that?" Kirsten Peterson asked Margie Lou and the women who were near her. "Why does he say we are patriots when almost we are traitors? Is everybody afraid? Why doesn't someone tell the truth?" She looked around piteously as if for help.

Carl stood right behind her but he could do nothing for her.

"The only one who could tell these phonies where to head in," said Joe cynically, "is somebody who had nothing to lose."

"My wife has nothing to lose," said Carl simply. "Time has already slipped a little in her fingers."

"You mean you don't mind if she gets hurt?"

"No. She wouldn't mind if she could help."

"Okay, Carl. Here she goes! Come on, you G.I.'s, gather ye 'round."

Kirsten didn't know quite why she climbed up on the platform recently vacated by the visiting admiral and his hosts. Neither did she know that surrounding her were many unseen uniformed fighting men.

The working crew didn't pay any attention to her at first. They were too busy building up their private petty grievance.

But when Kirsten said "Attention!" in a voice that was no less compelling than the cry of a Valkyrie, everyone sputtered down and turned to her.

Kirsten was in her work clothes, blonde hair under a kerchief but on the platform above the crowd she towered huge and cold and lovely like a statue of Minerva. She might have been the figurehead on a ship, outward bound, facing relentlessly forward.

"What," she said in a voice that still rang as if there were a symphonic orchestra under it, "what are you Americans thinking of? How can we slow down as long as there is a single prisoner in the hands of the enemy? Haven't you heard what happened and what is still happening to the men who fought the battle of Bataan? We can't slow down. Instead we must hurry faster and faster! Those prisoners are dying while we talk about how much work we will do for a dollar."

Kirsten paused. Her audience stirred uneasily. Max spoke.

"Girlie, you don't know what you're talking about. Pipe down."

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KIRSTEN paid no attention to Max. "I know that most of you feel the same way I do—you only wish there was more you could do in the 24 hours of every single day. But just a few people talk about getting more money or else they will work less. And we listen! That's the terrible thing to do. We listen! And they make so much talk—those few people—that we begin to feel that everybody is thinking the same way. The soldiers, wherever they are, hear about such talk and they think we are all like that. It makes them sick and afraid—afraid that when they come home they will hate even their own people. And all because we let a few lazy and greedy people say things for us that we do not really mean."

"Shut her up! She's nuts. All we want is four cents more per hour."

Kirsten raised her voice. "When somebody is going to stick a bayonet in you, is it a good time to ask how much you'll get per hour for trying to stop him?"

Old hands who, under ordinary conditions, were shyly silent and retiring, began to get their dander up. A lot of the workers pushed nearer to the platform where Kirsten was standing.

(To Be Continued)

• Q's and A's

Q—Is there a difference between the military terms "bridgehead" and "beachnead"?

A—A bridgehead is a military position held on the enemy side of a river, while a beachhead is a portion of land where troops and supplies have been landed in an invasion of an enemy's coast.

Q—In size, how does the emu rank among birds?

A—It is the second largest of all birds. The emu is the national bird of Australia. In several ways it is like the ostrich, but it has three toes on each foot, whereas the ostrich is two-toed.

Q—Does the Union of South Africa have two capitals?

A—The capital of the union is Pretoria although the union's legislature meets in Cape Town.

Q—Where is the station known as the "Policeman of the Air"?

A—It is the U. S. monitor station at Grand Island, Nebraska. The first station of its kind in the country, it checks the frequency of both national and foreign broadcasting stations.

Q—Was Quebec or Port Royal Canada's first permanent settlement?

A—Port Royal, Nova Scotia, settled in 1605.

Q—What river has been called "China's Sorrow"?

A—The Yellow river, which has changed its course five times in recorded history, resulting in untold destruction of life and property.

Q—Is the homing instinct found in lobsters as in birds?

A — Lobsters, like tn ebirds and some fish, have a remarkable homing instinct. They will find their way back to their feeding grounds over distances of more than two miles with all sorts of obstacles put in their way.

Q—How many Americans have been elected to the New York University's Hall of Fame?

A—Six new names raise to 83 the number of distinguished citizens to be enshrined there.

Q—What is the meaning of the word artifact?

A—As used by archeologists, the term refers to a product of human workmanship, especially of simple primitive art.

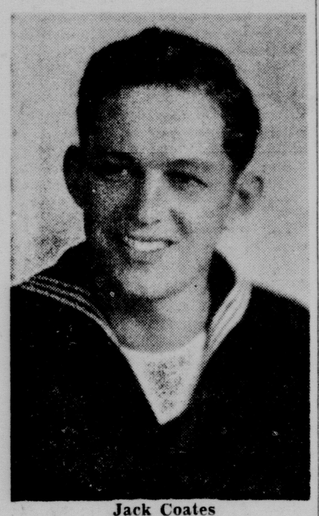
Q—How long since the Chicago White Sox have played in a World Series?

A—The Chicago White Sox, who have gone longer without a victory than any other team, have not won a pennant since 1919.

Young Sedalian on Ship Helps Get Clothing for Destitute

Recently on board a small naval ship stationed off Korea, 30 miles from Pusan, a group of sailors saw some effects of war. They saw what war does to people, especially children, as their land is devastated by havocs of war. A letter to Principal Joseph F. Benson at the Smith-Cotton High School from a Sedalian, Jack Coates, radarman third class, stationed on that vessel, tells what the U. S. S. Marsh sailors decided to do. In just a few days a Christmas party will be held to give back to some of those children, the belief that such a spirit as Santa Claus represents, can be even in their deprived lives.

Coats' letter prompted Mr. Benson to call a special assembly to read the request to the students and in response they collected four large boxes of clothing and chipped in to pay the $30 freight to send them to the Pacific coast. The project, a small version of "Voice of America," you might say, has expanded, being taken up by some women's organizations and a scout troop and even individuals. The letter states that the ship plans to stay in its position for several months, so clothing may still be sent to the address.



Jack Coates

The message from Coates who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coates, 1102 East Broadway, follows:

"Dear Mr. Benson:

"It has been a few years since I graduated from Smith-Cotton, so you may not remember me any too well since I wasn't an outstanding student—except maybe as a repeated participator in a certain amount of things which you frowned upon. I hope you don't base my character fully on that. You're probably wondering why I'm writing you at this time so I'll come to the point.

"I am stationed on a small naval ship (USS Marsh DE699) in Masan, Korea about 30 miles southwest of Pusan. Though the city was not shelled completely to ruins during the invasion it was once a center of conflict. Even now a grave platoon (11 army personnel) is active in searching out the exposed remains of American soldiers in close by mountains and hillsides where they died driving the invaders back.

"As a result of war, influx of refugees, disruption of industry, commerce and agriculture there is great poverty and need on the part of many. Even in normal times life is on the fringe of mere subsistence. To me and others on the ship it is a pitiful sight to see those people as they are. Throughout the whole day, especially at meal time there are a large number of these poor people, from infants carried on the back of other children, up to pre-military age, tramping back and forth along the dock in the cold, with shoulders hunched, hands in pockets trying to keep warm in scant summer clothing. They come in hope that they will be given or find something in our trash and garage which can be used to their advantage.

"I am writing this to extend to you and the students of Sedalia schools, their parents and friends the call to send us if you will, all the clothing, wool or cotton, in any condition for young or old, that can be spared. With Christmas coming we plan to have a children's Christmas party, where we shall treat them to the best that the ship has in food, sweets, and such gifts as the ship's purse may be able to buy and the clothing we get from people at home.

"The present plan of the ship is to remain here for several months, so have no hesitancy therefore in sending clothing that may not arrive until after Christmas. These people will receive it with welcome at any time.

"With heartiest greetings for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you and all.

"Sincerely yours,
JACK COATES.

"Address packages to:
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USS Marsh DE699
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San Francisco, California

"You may write attention J. E. Coates RD3 and I will be happy to give it my personal attention and later send pictures of the clothing being distributed.

"THANK YOU!"

Dusk To Dawn Curfew Clamped On In India Sector

BOMBAY, Dec. 21 — (AP) —Police imposed a dusk to dawn curfew in Amraoti in the central provinces Wednesday following rioting set off by the slaughter of a cow. One person was killed and 20 were wounded.

Rioters were offended when a butcher slaughtered a cow, considered holy by Hindus. The crowd burned many houses and looted shops.

War correspondents covering the Korean war wear a "UN" shoulder insignia for the first time in history.

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Not Once, But Twice



Walter Wellington of Waltham, Mass., is comforted by Nurse Wilma Linden in the Waltham hospital after colliding with a train at a grade crossing. Wellington's car was in a similar collision in September, 1949 — at the same crossing. In his latest mishap he suffered a possible fracture of the right hip, possible rib fractures and a fractured right wrist. (AP Wirephoto)

Please Do Not Offer Our Drivers Drinks This Christmas

TORONTO, Dec. 26 — (AP) — William Mills, president of the Toronto local of the truck drivers' union (AFL), appealed to householders not to offer to the drivers or delivery men a Christmas drink. He said any other gifts would be welcome, but "don't contribute to a driver's downfall this year."

The banjo is distinctly an American instrument and is just about 100 years old.

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War Curtails Far East Cruise

SINGAPORE—(AP)—The Korean war seems to have put a decided crimp in the cruising business. The 9,600-ton liner President Polk docked in Singapore the end of October on a five-day visit—with only 22 salon passengers. Usually she carries a hundred or more in that class. The lack of a big passenger list was believed to be due also to unsettled conditions generally in this section.

Scorpions cause more deaths in southwestern United States than do rattlesnakes.

Sgt. E.T. Grinstead Wounded in Korea

Master Sergeant Earl T. Grinstead, son of Mrs. Lucy H. Grinstead, 415 North Prospect avenue, has been wounded in action in northern Korea according to word received by his mother. His wounds are believed not too serious.

According to a letter to his mother Sergeant Grinstead was wounded on the morning of December 3 during the big Red Chinese drive. He indicated the Reds made their rushing attack about 2 o'clock in the morning and they fought with them until about 7:00 o'clock in the morning.

The bullet that struck Sgt. Grinstead went across his stomach, breaking the buckle on his belt, then ranged down and passed through his right leg missing the bone. He suffered stomach burns from the bullet.

He was flown to Japan and is now in a U. S. hospital there, believed to be Tokyo. Sergeant Grinstead was formerly stationed in Panama and returned to Sedalia on leave in July but during his leave was called back and left immediately for Japan and then into Korea. He was assigned to the seventh regiment of the Third division.

His wife Mrs. Mildred L. Grinstead is at her home in Gainesville, Florida.

He has two brothers, Elmer R. of the home and E. W. Grinstead, also on North Prospect avenue.

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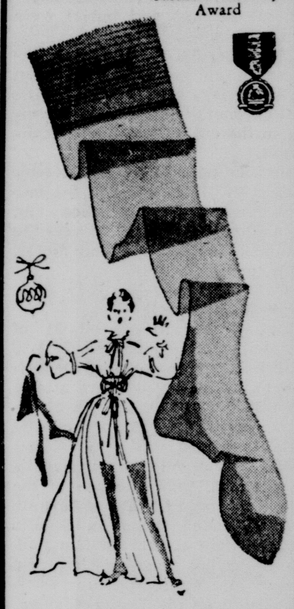
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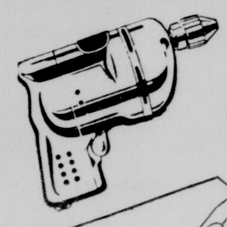
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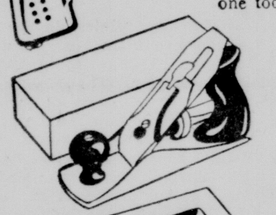
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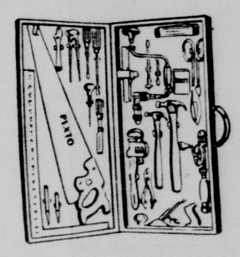


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OBITUARIES

Lee Rice

Mrs. L. P. Lay, of Knob Noster, received word of the death of her brother, Lee Rice, of Guersey, Wyo., who died at 5:00 o'clock Saturday morning. Mrs. Lay left Sunday for Casper, Wyo., where funeral services and burial were held.

Mr. Rice, 53, was critically injured in an automobile accident on Tuesday near Casper. His housekeeper, who was a passenger in the car, is in a critical condition.

He was born in Knob Noster August 27, 1897, a son of the late Rev. Thomas Benton Rice and Lula Snodgress Rice. He grew to manhood in Marshall and moved to Wyoming in 1918.

Robert M. Gorrell

Richard Merritt Gorrell, 51, of Marshall, Tex., died there at 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning, December 17, following a heart attack. He was taken to the Kahn Memorial hospital, and pronounced dead on arrival.

Mr. Gorrell was born in Sedalia February 1, 1899, the son of the late J. Ben and Ida Payne Gorrell.

He attended school in Sedalia and left here in 1915 for Marshall, where he has since resided. He served his apprenticeship as a blacksmith in the T. and P. shops, but for the past eleven years had been with the Marshall police department.

He was married to Micc Helen Yates, of Marshall December 28, 1922, who survives him as does one sister, Mrs. Ernest May, of Smithton. Two nieces, three nephews, two great nephews and one uncle also survive him.

Funeral services were held at the Raines and Talley funeral chapel in Marshall at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon. The Rev. H. F. Selcer, rector of the Trinity Episcopal church, of which Mr Gorrell was a member, officiated.

Interment was in the Algoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest May, of Smithton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N Smith and Ben May, of Kansas City, and Bob May, of Toledo, Ohio, arrived at their homes from Marshall, Tex., Tuesday evening, where they were called by the death of Mr. Gorrell.

Funeral of Mrs. H. J. Knipp

The rosary for Mrs. Henry J. Knipp, 80, wife of the late Mr. Knipp, who died at her home near Tipton Tuesday night, will be recited at the Richards' funeral home in Tipton at 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Funeral services will be held at 9:00 o'clock Friday morning at the St. Andrew's church. The Rev. H. J. Greit will officiate.

Pallbearers will be grandsons, Richard, Raymond and Harold Knipp, Henry Schmutz, Mike Dolson and Dorris Arnold.

Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery.

Funeral of Robert E. Reid

Funeral services for Robert E. Reid, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reid, Lincoln, who was killed about 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning in an automobile accident on highway 65, north of Warsaw, were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Harmony Baptist church. The Rev. George Gray, of Lexington and the Rev. Albert Gaston, of Osceola, officiated.

Pallbearers were: Buel Hughes, John Asher, Lyle Vance, Keith Ellis, R. G. Carney and Orville D. Green.

Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. R. G. Carney, Mrs. Rochell Hunt, Hershel Hansen and Lyle Bryan, with Miss Betty Lou Hunt, as the accompanist.

Burial was in the Harmony church cemetery.

The body was taken from the Reser funeral home at Lincoln at 4.00 o'colck Wednesday afternoon to the family home, where it remained until time for the services.

Funeral of Miss Jones

Funeral services for Miss Willia Belle Jones, 82, 720 East Fifth street, who died at the Bothwell hospital Tuesday morning, were held this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Bethlehem church. The Rev. C. C. Cox, of Marshall, former pastor of the church, officiated.

Funeral of Arlie Poffinberger

Funeral services for Arlie Poffinberger, who died Monday afternoon of a heart attack, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. Arthur Smith, pastor of the Church of God, officiated.

Mrs. Arthur Smith sang, "Precious Memories" and 'I Won't Have To Cross Jordan Alone," accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Friends who served as pallbearers were: Francis Weathers, Clarence McGee, S. B. Avery, Charles Stevens, Louie Kellner, and B. J. Benedict.

Interment was in the Poffinberger family lot in the Green Ridge cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah Erickson

Mrs. Sarah Erickson, Kansas City, died in Research hospital in Kansas City this morning at 2:00 o'clock after an illness of three years. She was the widow of Paul Russell Erickson.

She is survived by two daughters, Misses Betty and Mary Ruth, both of the home in Kansas City, and two sons, Paul Russell, Jr., of the home, and Carl Edward, who is in the Navy, and one sister, Mrs. Roy Tarr, 1020 South Missouri avenue.

The body is being brought from Kansas City to the McLaughlin funeral chapel in Sedalia. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

S-C Orchestra To Give Program

The Smith-Cotton high school orchestra and mixed chorus under the direction of Miss Jerry Teufel will present a musical program for the Christmas assembly Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

The 60 piece orchestra and the mixed chorus of 70 will be accompanied by Ann Wollet and Sally Jo Dowdy. Donald Allcorn, of Miss Anna Sawford's speech class, will give a short reading on the "Christmas Story" by James.

Program:

"Sleigh Ride" (by Leroy Anderson)—Orchestra.

"Jingle Bells" (by Pierpont-Howorth)—Mixed chorus.

"The Christmas Story" (James)—Donald Allcorn.

"Christmas Night" — Mixed chorus.

"Spirit of Christmas" (A Christmas Fantasy arranged by Reibold)—Orchestra and mixed chorus.

Possibly Ask a High Price

BONN, Germany, Dec. 21—(AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer met with the Allied high commission today amidst reports he would demand the end of occupation controls as the price for German troops participating in Western Europe's defense army.

An authoritiative German source said the West German republic's chancellor will ask for what he calls a "security treaty" between his government and the occupying powers to replace the present occupation statue. This would be the nearest approach possible, under present circumstances, to a peace treaty.

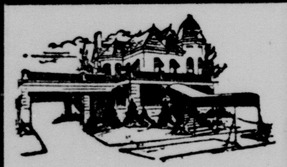
The three high commissioners, John J. McCloy of the United States, Sir Ivone Kirkpatrick of Britain and Andre Francois-Poncet of France, met with Adenauer to work out procedure for negotiation concerning the international army.

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Humorous Programs for the Kiwanians - 'Ki wani-Queens'

Sedalia Kiwanians with their wives and friends enjoyed a chicken dinner and a humorous program at their annual Christmas party in Hotel Bothwell Wednesday evening.

President Hebert Schrankler called upon the Rev. Lee F. Soxman for invocation and therafter turned the program over to Chairman James Norlin who introduced the speaker, Past President Bert Hathaway.

The latter's speech was interrupted repeatedly by the ad-libbing of fellow Kiwanians who provided the humor: William Ward, L. A. Pharris, Sylvan Woolery, Myron Lindquist, Dr. J. W. Maunders, Ed McLaughlin, Charles Hanley, and George H Scruton.

Charlene Maness, little daughter of Mrs. Kermit Maness who was also present, sang several Christmas son, with Mrs. Nellie Monegan as accompanist. The latter had previously been presented with a Christmas gift from the club in appreciation of her faithfulness as club pianist.

Presented Corsage

Mrs. Herbert Seifert was presented a corsage from the club on the occasion of her 26th wedding anniversary and also for her helpfulness to the organization and as chairman of the decorating committee assisted by Mrs. William Ward, Mrs. R. A. Malone and Mrs. C. L. Carter.

The outstanding evening performance was by Misses Mary Alice McLaughlin and Susie Ward whose pantomime of a song recording brought down the house

President Schrankler announced that a beautiful table floral decoration would be sent by the club to the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, the club's only honorary member.

He also announced that installation of officers for 1951 would occur at the December 28 meeting.

Club guests included the following:

Mrs. E. F. Yancey with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Heynen; Mrs. Helen Hunter with her father, Walter Kennedy; Dorothy Ann Reed with her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Reed; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wall; Artie Lee Brunkhorst with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brunkhorst; Mrs. A. D. Aiken with her daughter Mrs. Phil McLaughlin and Mr. McLaughlin; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dibbern, Mila, Ill., with her daughter Mrs. Harry Lindstorm and Mr. Lindstrom.

New Puppy to Replace Skippy Killed by Car

The fire department clanged up the street in the neighborhood and Ronnie and Donnie, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Franke, 1817 South Stewart avenue, rushed out to see what the excitement was all about. Skippy rushed out, too, but the boys didn't know it.

But the next thing Ronnie and Donnie knew was that a little dog had been hit by a car. The little dog was Skippy, who had been the family pet for 14 years, in fact long before Ronnie and Donnie joined the family themselves.

Skippy lay lifeless in the street as the two little boys went over to him. The car that hit him just went on. There were tears in their eyes as one of the twins picked up their little dog and started to carry it home. Their daddy, hearing what had happened, started down the street to meet them. He wanted to take the little dog but the twins protested. Not knowing it was dead they carried it carefully on home.

Then their daddy had to tell them that Skippy was dead. There were more tears, not only from Ronnie and Donnie, but the whole family cried. Skippy was just plain dog but he was part of their family and it was a real sadness.

"And, mother," sobbed one of the twins, "The man who hit him didn't even stop and say 'I'm sorry'."

And so the biggest Christmas gift this year will be another little dog, just as near like Skippy as the Franke family can find. And he will be called Skippy.

But even a new Skippy can't take away the hurt — there is sure to be a lonesome feeling in the Christmas holiday celebration at the Franke home. They will welcome the new pup but it really can't take Skippy's place—not right now, at least.

Heartened by Naming Gen. 'Ike'

By John M. Hightower

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Secretary of State Acheson told President Truman today the appointment of Gen. Eisenhower as supreme allied commander in Europe has "greatly heartened and inspired the European nations."

The President relayed this information to reporters in a statement in which Mr. Truman said:

"I am in full agreement with the secretary that the spirit shown by the countries of Western Europe has justified our confidence that the free states of Europe mean business about setting up our common defense system."

Mr. Truman said that "within the next few weeks the soldiers in Europe of the members of the North Atlantic community will be training together. Many of our hopes have not become facts with all that this means for the defense of the free world."

The President issued the statement after Acheson gave him a full report of his meeting in Brussels with the foreign and defense ministers of the North Atlantic treaty countries.

Mr. Truman said he was greatly encouraged to hear from Acheson of the "serious way" in which the representatitves of these countries went about the job of "bringing to life the military and economic agencies of the North Atlantic community."

Mr. Truman said Acheson reported that the European nations see in Eisenhower's appointment "new proof of the firm intention of the free nations to stand together."

Three Year Pact By Railroads And Four Unions

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members, trainmen, conductors, engineers, and firemen and enginemen, actually run the trains.

Looking surprisingly fresh after a whole night and half day of continuous conferences, the rail leaders and Steelman beamed over the prospect of having a moratorium on any wage or hour demand for three years.

Both sides praised Steelman and his efforts to make peace in the industry and keep it for three years.

L. W. Horning of the New York Central, speaker for the employers, told reporters they were gratified that we "may now devote ourselves to the enormous transportation problems which lie ahead of us in these times."

J. P. Shields, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, spoke for the unions and emphasized the unions had given up considerable in accepting the final settlement.

"I just hope the government, the railroads, and the general public will appreciate the contributions we on the labor side feel we have made," he said.

Earlier agreements signed by the railroads with the switchmen's and the yardmasters unions also called for a 23-cent hourly increase effective Oct. 1 plus a cost of living adjustment which probably will yield the union members at least another two cents an hour effective Jan. 1. The switchmen and yardmasters, under a sort of gentlemen's agreement with the railroads, are expected to get whatever additional gains the other unions are awarded.

Stories Conflict On Missing Boy

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., Dec. 21—(AP)—Conflicting stories told by three Caruthersville school boys in connection with the disappearance of 8-year-old Paul Lee Nicholson Monday afternoon were studied today as county authorities continued search for the child now believed to have drowned in the icy waters of the Mississippi river.

The three boys being held without charge, have been questioned at length following a futile search yesterday and this morning in and along the river where they said they were playing.

"The boys have told such conflicting stories we cannot be sure as yet just what happened," Chief of Police Mac Kelly said today. One of them told they were playing "rock war" when the Nicholson boy was hit and fell into the river. Another said his hands were tied behind him and he was rolled into the water.

Officers said some of the burned clothing they found yesterday was not the clothing worn by the eight-year-old boy.

Search started for Paul Monday afternoon when he failed to return to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Huffman. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Nicholson, who reside in St. Louis, came here immediately when advised he was missing.

Officers said the three boys will be kept in custody pending completion of the investigation. "We will know more about what to do and believe about their stories when we find out what has happened to the Nicholson boy," said Deputy Sheriff Jack Kelly.

Planes to be Sent To Indo-China

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—The United States was reported today to be ready to send about 30 B-26 bombers to Indo-China to bolster French forces fighting Communist-led Rebels.

The ships will be flown to Indo-China by American crews and turned over to the French.

Officials who told reporters of the plans said there would be two squadrons of the bombers. A squadron has 15 planes.

The officials said delivery of the planes reflects American determination to rush as much military equipment as possible to the French and loyal IndoChinese forces, in an effort to thwart Communist bid for power in that strategic area.

There is a collection of 50 rare toads in the zoo at Washington, D. C.

Wilson to Helm as Defense Director on Mobilization Job

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and other items vital to the defense buildup.

The committee estimated inflation has cut the value of defense appropriations since the Korean fighting began by approximately $3,000,000,000.

It told army, navy air force and other defense officials that contracts should be let at once and delivery speeded to avoid additional price increases.

And its statement said:

"The committee is aware of the problems involved in putting into effect wage and price controls but believes that the sooner a termination of this problem is concluded, the quicker the monster of inflation may be defeated."

Talks already were under way on the question of wage-price controls in the automotive industry.

Automobile union and management officials who began the talks yesterday with Chairman Cyrus Ching of the wage stabilization board were due to confer today with ESA Chief Alan Valentine.

ESA officials said that a voluntary wage formula will be worked out "as soon as possible" to go along with the voluntary price "freeze" the government asked Tuesday night.

Union leaders were making a strong fight to retain the "escalator clauses" in contracts covering an estimated 1,000,000 auto workers. The clauses provide an automatic wage increase with a rise in the government's cost-of-living index.

Union chieftains were also insisting on the retention of "annual improvement" clauses which provide that wages go up a stated amount each year with long-term contracts.

Speed Was Urged

Wilson was endorsed for the top mobilization post after President Truman sent word he would appreciate a speed vote. There was no objection on the voice ballot.

Chairman Maybank (D-SC) of the Senate Banking Committee told reporters Mr. Truman had urged speed so that Wilson could get started on "issuing a lot of legal orders."

Maybank added that he did not know what the orders will cover. He said some of them might be announced today.

Wilson resigned as president of General Electric to become director of defense mobilization. The assignment carries with it sweeping authority to run all the government's mobilization activities, including production, procurement, manpower, transportation and economic stabilization.

The new mobilization chief served as executive vice-president of the war production board in World War II.

Two congressional committees announced arrangements for Wilson to testify today and tomorrow.

The Senate-House "Watchdog" committee on defense mobilization summoned him for questioning about wage-price control policy.

Forecast Big Crop Of 6,500,000 Head

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—A record peacetime spring pig crop of 63,500,000 head was forecast by the Agriculture Department today. This crop will provide the nation's pork supply next fall and winter.

While six per cent larger than this year's spring crop of 59,997,000 head, the indicated production may not be big enough to satisfy increasing civilian and military demands for meat under the defense program.

Many food officials think it will be necessary to place meats under price control and rationing by next summer.

Pork makes up nearly half the meat supply. Little increase is forecast for next year's supplies of beef, veal, lamb and mutton.

The predicted spring crop of pigs compares with a 10-year (1939-48) average of 55,191,000 head and with the record of 74,223,000 in the wartime year of 1943.

Bothwell Hospital

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Anna Schulz, Terry hotel; John D. Murphy, 1503 East Broadway; Mrs. William Hawkins, Smithton; Samuel D. Lawson, 726 East Fourth street; Floyd Alden, 2242 West Third street and Charles H. Mettenborg, route 4, Sedalia.

Dismissed: Mrs. Roy Egbert, 1425 South Carr avenue; Larry Vilmer, 1012 East Tenth street and Mrs. Floyd L. Lively and son, 1300 West Fourth street.

BIRTHS

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simmons, Houstonia, at 3:35 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, nine ounces.

Pakistan to National Road Transport

KARACHI, Pakistan—(AP)—The central government has decided to nationalize road transport throughout the country. Provincial governments have suggested that income from such operations be spent on improvement and construction of roads.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Ellis of Denver, Colo., are here to spend the holidays with Mrs. Ellis' brother, C. H. Barton, 1601 South Missouri avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Leiter, 637 East Sixteenth street, have as their guests for the holidays their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Armand Valliers and son, Anthony, of Washington, D.C.

J. J. Paxton, who is in the Navy, is spending Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Paxton, 710 West Second street.

Edwin Staley, formerly of Sedalia, and who is now in the air corps, is spending the Christmas holidays here visiting friends

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lane will have a Christmas dinner Monday Guests will include Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lane, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Fraser, formerly of Sedalia, left today after spending several days with Mr. Fraser's mother, Mrs. W. A. Fraser, and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jenkins and daughter, Gloria, 911 South Osage avenue.

Walter Loveland, 1515 South Missouri avenue, spent Wednesday in Kansas City on business.

Chester Brown, secretary-manager of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, will leave Friday for Abilene, Kas., to spend Christmas holidays with his family. He plans to move his family to Sedalia December 27 and they will reside at 1831 South Barrett avenue.

Miss Mary Brady of St. Louis is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Brady, 720 West Fifth street.

Casualties Well Within Bracket

TOKYO, Dec. 21—(AP)—General MacArthur's war summary said today an "artificial nuance of 'disaster'" has been given to the allied withdrawal in North Korea.

The summary added that "unofficial, persistent and speculative casualty reports from the Korean theater" continue the "nuance."

This apparently referred to some dispatches from Korea describing United Nations' losses during the pullback as a disaster.

The summary said in this report:

"Unofficial, persistent and speculative casualty reports from the Korean theater continue the artificial nuance of 'disaster' that has been given to U. N. military operations that are not unusual in comparison with similar situations in other wars. Personnel replacements are furnished on experience tables which make a distinction between intensive periods of combat and other activities, between battle casualties and non-battle casualties, which include incidents of illness or disease. These experience tables normally consider approximately one per cent of overall strength a day as a common yardstick. The casualties of every category on all fronts in Korea are well within this bracket. Total losses since June, over a period of five and a half months, have not even approximated the battle losses in certain comparable operations of World War II."

Thus the list does not reflect fully the heavy fighting in the Hungnam beachhead area or the retreat to that position.

It also does not take account of the presumably substantial number of frosbite casualties in the winter weather fighting.

Here are the casualties for the four services:

Army — Total 30,633; deaths 5,078; wounded 20,538, missing 5,017.

Navy — Total 392; deaths 54; wounded 278; missing 60.

Marines — Total 5,102, deaths 945, wounded 4,090, missing 67.

Air Force — Total 294; deaths 103; wounded 19; missing 172.

Gloomy Outlook As to Traffic

CHICAGO, Dec. 21—(AP)—The National Safety Council today forecast the gloomiest Christmas ever, as far as traffic deaths are concerned.

Estimating that 440 persons would die in traffic crashes during the three-day Christmas holiday, the council said the figure was the largest pre-holiday estimate it has ever made.

The council's estimate covers only immediate traffic deaths, occuring between 6 p. m. Friday and midnight Monday.

"Perhaps this is a grim thought to launch the Christmas season," said President Ned H. Dearborn. "But the record of past holidays speaks for itself. Of course, the toll doesn't have to be half that big if the lessons of experience are needed by everyone who grasps a steering wheel or starts to walk across a street."

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Dec. 21—(AP)—Cash grain:

Wheat: None.

Corn: No. 3, yellow $1.70½ to $1.72¼; No. 4, $1.61½ to $1.63½; No. 5, $1.50 to $1.60¼.

Oats: No. 2 heavy white 99½c.

Barley nominal: malting $1.30 to $1.68; feed $1.05 to $1.25.

Soybeans: No. 1 yellow $3.12½ Illinois origin; No. 1 yellow $3.09 Indiana origin, both track Chicago.

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THE MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Dec. 21 — (AP) — (USDA)—Hogs 12,000; fairly activs and uneven; generally strong to 25 cents higher than Wednesday's average on all butchers; sows steady to 25 cents higher; top $20.00 rather freely for choice 180 to 210 pounds; most good and choice 170 to 230 pounds $19.65 to $20.00; 240 to 280 pounds $19.25 to $19.65; few loads 280 to 320 pounds $18.75 to $19.25; good and choice sows 425 pounds and under $17.50 to $18.00; few $18.25; 450 to 600 pounds $16.00 to $17.25; good clearance.

Cattle 3,500; calves 500; high-good and choice steers and heifers active, strong to 50 cents higher; lower grades uneven, averaged steady, but some common to low-medium steers and heifers weak to 50 cents lower; cows moderately active, fully steady; good sausage bulls about steady; others weak to 50 cents lower; vealers steady; load choice to prime 1,075 pound steers $38.75; high-good and choice steers 1,250 pounds down $35.00 to $38.00; most high-medium and good grades $29.00 to $34.50; low-medium steers down to $26.50; load common light steers $24.50; load choice 995 pound heifers $37.00; most medium heifers $26.00 to $30.00; common down to $22.00; beef cows $20.50 to $23.50; canners and cutters $16.00 to $20.50; medium and good sausage bulls $25.00 to $28.50; vealers $34.00 down.

Sheep 1,000; all classes fully steady; top $32.00 paid for choice wooled fed western and native lambs; bulk good to choice offerings $31.00 to $32.00; choice fall-shorn westerns $29.75; medium to good No. 1 skins $28.25; bulk slaughter ewes $15.00 to $16.75.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 10,500; barrows and gilts mostly 50 cents lower; sows 50 to 75 cents lower than Wednesday's average; practical top $20.00; about two loads $20.10 and $20.25; most sales 240 to 270 pounds $19.25 to $19.50; few 280 to 300 pounds $19.00; bulk 150 to 170 pounds $19.00 to $20.00; 120 to 140 pounds $17.50 to $18.50; most sows 400 pounds down $16.50 to $17.50; heavier sows $15.25 to $16.25; stags $12.00 to $14.50.

Cattle 2,000; calves 600; few loads and lots medium and low good steers $28.00 to $31.25; odd head $32.00; common and medium steers and heifers $25.50 to $28.00; good cows $22.50 to $23.50; common and medium $20.50 to $22.00; canners and cutters $16.50 to $20.50; medium and good bulls $24.50 to $26.50; cutter and common $21.00 to $23.50; good and choice vealers $31.00 to $39.00; common and medium $22.00 to $30.00.

Sheep 1,000; market slow; lambs steady to 25 cents lower; most good and choice wooled lambs $31.00 to $31.50; practical top $31.50; one lot to butchers $31.75, same as Wednesday; deck 106 pound clipped lambs No. 1 skin $28.00; some lighter weights held around $28.50; part load medium and good No. 1 skins $27.00; slaughter ewes steady; scattered sales upward to $15.00.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21—(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 500; calves 50; market little more than cleanup affair with less than 300 head on offer; late week demand at steady to easier prices; hardly enough of any class available for adequate market test; 1 load medium grade mixed yearlings $28.25; few common and medium beef sows $20.25 to $22.00; odd head good to $23.00; few bulls $26.75 down; scattering medium and good vealers $27.00 to $32.00.

Hogs 1,500; fairly active, steady to strong with Wednesday's average; good and choice 180 to 250 pounds $19.50 to $19.75; latter price on choice 190 to 225 pounds; good and choice 260 to 330 pounds $19.00 to $19.50; sows mostly steady at $16.00 to $17.50; few $17.75.

Sheep 500; moderately active, light supply slaughter classes steady; good and choice truck in native lambs $30.00; medium and good shipments $27.00 to $29.00; odd lots good and choice slaughter ewes $15.50.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Dec. 21 — (AP) — (USDA) — Live poultry: steady; receipts 31 loads; FOB paying prices unchanged.

Heavy hens 26c to 29c; light hens 23c to 24c; roasters 27c to 33c; fryers 23c to 24c; old roosters 18c to 18.5c; ducks 15c to 25c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Dec. 21—(AP)—Butter firm; receipts 334,569; wholesale selling prices unchanged to ½ cent a pound higher:

93 score AA, 66.75c; 92 A, 66c; 90 B, 63.5c; 89 C, 61c; cars: 90 B, 64c; 89 C, 62c.

Eggs steadier; receipts 11,209; wholesale selling prices unchanged to two cents a dozen lower:

U. S. extras 46c to 47c; U. S. mediums 42c to 45c; U. S. standards 39c to 41c; current receipts 38c; dirties and checks 37c.

St. Louis Produce and Poultry

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21—(AP)—Produce and live poultry:

Eggs: Extras 49c to 50c; standards 44c to 46c; unclassified 39c to 42c; pullets 32c to 35c; AA, large 42c to 51c; A large 45c to 49c; A medium and B large 42c to 45c.

Butter: 92 score 65c; 90 score 62½c; 89 score 59c to 60c.

Butterfat: No. 1 55c per pound at country stations; No. 2, three cents less.

Cheese: Twins 41c to 41½c; cheddars 41¾c to 42¼c; flats 41¼c to 43¾c; longhorn 41¾c to 42½¼c; brick 41c to 41½c; Swiss 45c to 46c; process 41c to 41½c;

Fowl, heavy breeds 24c to 26c; Leghorns 21c; No. 2's 5c; commercial fryer and broilers: white crosses 25c to 26c; grays 25c to 26c; reds 22c to 25c; nearby whites 24c; grays 24c; reds 22c to 23c; roasting chickens 26c; Leghorn and Austro Whites 20c; No. 2s, 10c to 15c; young white ducks 23c to 24c; small 18c; muscovy and dark 16c; young geese over 12 pounds 26c; young geese over 12 geese 25c; capons 7 pounds and up 39c to 40c; under 7 pounds 35c; slips 30c; young hen turkeys 37c to 40c; young toms 29c to 31c; old hens 26c; old toms 22c; Beltsville hens 40c; toms 15 pounds or smaller 33c to 34c; toms over 15 pounds 30c; old cock and Leghorn stag roosters 17c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21—(AP)—Produce:

Eggs: Extras 43c to 45c; standards 39c to 40c; unclassified (current receipts) 56 pounds up 40c; unclassified 34c.

Butter: Grade A, pound in cartons 69.5c; grade A, pound in quarters 70c.

Butterfat: pound 60c to 63c.

Chicago Grain Futures

CHICAGO, Dec. 21—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
WHEAT—				
Mar	2.46¾	2.45	2.45	2.47
May	2.45⅝	2.43½	2.43¾	2.45¾
July	2.40¼	2.38¼	2.38⅜	2.40½
Sept	2.40¼	2.39⅛	2.39⅛	2.40¾
CORN—				
Mar	1.70¾	1.70	1.70	1.71
May	1.71	1.70	1.70	1.71
July	1.70¾	1.70	1.70	1.70¾
Sept	1.68⅝	1.68	1.68⅛	1.68¾
OATS—				
Mar	.97¾	.96¼	.96⅜	.98
May	.95¾	.95⅝	.94¾	.95⅞
July	.92⅝	.91½	.91⅝	.92½
Sept	.92	.90½	.90½	.91½
RYE—				
May	1.70	1.68½	1.69	1.70
July	1.72	1.70¼	1.70⅞	1.71
Sept	—	—	1.71	1.72½
SOYBEANS—				
Jan	3.09¾	3.07¾	3.09	3.09½
Mar	3.11	3.09	3.10¼	3.11½
May	3.10½	3.08½	3.09½	3.11¼
July	3.10½	3.03½	3.09	3.10¾

St. Louis Cash Grain

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21—(AP)—Cash grain:

Wheat: 13 cars, sold two. No. 3 fed garlicky $2.38; No. 2 mixed $2.45½.

Corn: 46 cars, sold three. No. 3 yellow $1.68½ to $1.69½; No. 4 yellow $1.62½.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21—(AP)—Wheat: 89 cars; down ¼ to 1¾ cents. No. 2 hard and dark hard $2.40½; No. 3, $2.29½; No. 2 red $2.37¼ to $2.43¼ nominal; No. 3, $2.35¼ to $2.42¼ nominal.

Corn: 124 cars; off 1 to up 1 cent; No. 2 white $1.95¾; No. 3, $1.92; No. 2 yellow and mixed $1.60½ to $1.62½; No. 3, $1.56½ to $1.59½.

Oats: 13 cars; down 1 cent to up ½ cent. No. 2 white 97c to $1.02; No. 3, 95c to $1.01.

Milo maize $2.30 to $2.39 nominal.

Kafir $2.30 to $2.40 nominal.

Rye $1.65 to $1.70 nominal.

Barley $1.36 to $1.45 nominal.

Soybeans $2.96 to $3.10 nominal.

Leading Stocks At Close

	Close Wed.	Close Thurs.
American Airlines	13⅛	13
American Can	93⅝	92¾
American Locomotive	21⅜	21
American Tel and Tel	150⅛	150½
American Tobacco	64⅛	64¼
Anaconda Corporation	38⅜	37¾
Armour and Co.	10¾	11
Atchison	149	147⅞
Avco Mfg.	7¼	7⅛
Baldwin Locomotive	13⅜	13⅜
Benedix Aviation	52¼	52¼
Bethlehem Steel	49	48⅝
Borg Warn	61¼	61⅞
Burroughs Adding Mach.	13⅞	13⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	34½	34½
Chrysler	67⅜	67⅜
Coca Cola	117½	117
Cudahy Packing	10¼	10¾
Du Pont	82¼	82
Eastman Kodak	46½	45⅞
General Foods	49	48½
General Motors	46½	45⅝
Greyhound	10¼	10⅛
International Harvester	32⅜	32⅜
International Shoe	40½	40¼
International Tel and Tel.	13⅞	14
Johns Mansville	46½	46⅜
Kennecott	75⅛	74¾
Liggett and Meyers	74	75½
Mack Trucks	18½	17¾
Mid-Continent Pet.	54⅞	55⅛
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	9⅜	11
Montgomery Ward	62¾	62¾
Nash-Kelvinator	17¼	17⅜
National Distillery	27¼	27½
Packard Motors	4¼	4⅛
Pan American Airways	10⅜	10⅜
Paramount Pictures	20¼	21⅜
Penney, (J C.)	65½	66¾
Pepsi-Cola	9⅜	9⅞
Phillips Petroleum	77½	77½
Proctor and Gamble	70⅜	—
Radia Corporation	17	17⅛
Republic Steel	42⅞	42
Safeway Stores	32⅞	33
Sears Roebuck	51½	51⅜
Sinclair Oil	33⅝	33¼
Skelly Oil	71½	72
Socony Vacuum	24¾	24⅜
Standard Oil Indiana	58⅜	58⅜
Standard Oil N J.	87½	87⅜
Stewart Warner	15⅜	16
Studebaker	27¼	27½
Swift and Co.	37½	37
Texas Company	78¼	77¼
Union Pacific	103⅞	104
United Airlines	22¾	22⅝
United Aircraft	36¼	35⅝
U S Steel	41⅜	41
Warner Pictures	12⅛	12⅛
Western Electric	33¾	34
Woolworth	43⅜	43⅜

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	Close Wed.	Close Thurs.
Cities Service	82⅜	82½
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The Smith-Cotton high school students have chartered a bus to Springfield for the Greenwood Invitational Basketball Tournament in which the Tigers will participate. Fare will be $1.00 for transportation and admission to game. The bus is school sponsored and a faculty chaperone will accompany the students to the game.

The first game will be against the Ash Grove Quintet Saturday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

If the Tigers win this contest they will play again on Wednesday following Christmas.

Students interested in making the trip are asked to contact Bob Stanley or Mr. Gearhart Jagar.

Crime Probers End Hearing At Chicago

Hunt Goes Forward To Roundup Big Time Gangsters

CHICAGO, Dec. 21 — (AP)—The Senate crime investigating committee wound up its Chicago hearings last night after cracking down on stubborn witnesses and asserting the hunt for missing big name gangsters will be pushed.

In a hurried presentation of evidence before the federal grand jury, the government obtained the indictment of a former executive of a racing news service for refusing to testify before the committee Monday.

O'Hara Declines Comment

Ralph O'Hara, former secretary-treasurer of the now defunct Trans American News Service, brushed aside all pertinent questions while on the witness stand, claiming the answers might tend to incriminate him.

Senator Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn), committee chairman, also warned two other recalcitrant witnesses he would recommend that contempt action be taken against them.

Next Session In Tampa, Fla.

Kefauver said the committee's next hearings will open Dec. 28 in Tampa, Fla. He added he hopes the committee can hold hearings in eight or 10 other cities in the next two months in its search for nationwide crime links.

Several big name gangsters have avoided being served with a committee summons for months. Some reportedly have fled to Mexico.

While the grand jury was returning its indictment against O'Hara, State's Attorney John S. Boyle began a wholesale pickup of witnesses after their appearance before the committee.

Capone Brothers On Carpet

His men seized Ralph and John Capone, brothers of the late Scarface Al, and four policy wheel operators after they appeared before the committee.

"We're starting a thorough investigation of the policy racket," Boyle said. "This is the first break we've had—it's our first chance at the higher ups."

Witnesses told the committee the policy racket attracted $60,000,000 in bets in Chicago alone each year.

Trans Am.—Capone Linked Up

Committee investigators have contended that the Trans American News Service was an outfit dominated by the Capone syndicate and set up to compete with the Continental News Service.

Two policy wheel operators, Patrick Manno and Pete C. Tremont, refused to testify before the committee earlier today. Like O'Hara, they contended their answers might tend to incriminate them.

Ralph Capone declined to answer all the committee's questions today, but he was not warned he might be held in possible contempt.

In Ring of Fire



Yank artillerymen fire their 105mm howitzer from a position within the defense arc around Hungnam in the northeastern Korea front Sunday. With help from warships of seven nations UN defenders are holding off the Red attacks. (AP Wirephoto)

Can't Kill a Finn



Rescue workers lift John Wolti into an ambulance at Renton, Wash., after freeing the 54-year-old miner from his coal-mine prison where a cave-in trapped him 400 ft. underground for 53 hours. Burly, 200-pound Wolti lapsed into a coma at hospital in Enumclaw, Wash., after telling reporters "You can't kill a Finn." (NEA Telephoto)

Golden Sidewalk

LILLOOET, B. C.—(AP)—Crews of workmen are pouring gold-bearing cement for more than a mile of sidewalk in this town 200 miles northeast of Vancouver. The gravel was taken from the famous bank of the Cayoosh creek, but the workmen don't brother panning the stuff. Oldtimers say it wouldn't yield more than a few dollars for 12 hours' work.

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B.P.W.C. Gifts For Nursery

The Business and Professional Women's club held its Christmas party at the home of Miss Eva Evans, 706 West Broadway, Monday night.

There was an exchange of gifts among the members and a pile of white gifts for the Melita Day Nursery.

The feature of the evening was a story read by Mrs. Everett White.

During the evening the group sang Christmas carols after which refreshments were served by Miss Evans and her committee, Mrs. Joe Brereton, Mrs. Phil Costello, Miss Margaret Eagan, Miss Margaret Grady, Dr. Ermine Fischer, Mrs. Gladys Frederick, Miss Lois Fricke, Mrs. J. J. Heiss, Jr., Miss Rose Libbrand, Miss Bessie Miller, Miss Freda Muller, Mrs. N. L. Nelson, Miss Marguerite O'Connedd, Miss Hazel Palmer, Mrs. Ruth C. Riley, Mrs. Frank Wagner and Mrs. Everett White.

Costly Propaganda

COPENHAGEN—(AP)—The Russian embassy in Copenhagen showed a film in one of the refugee camps outside Copenhagen. It showed bad conditions in the United States and good conditions in Soviet Russia.

The performance cost the Russian embassy $362.

Present were five refugee-children.

Melody Lingers

YORKTON, Sask.—(AP)—A century-old music box set into a family photograph album has been presented to the Yorkton museum by 91-year-old B. Muir of Saltcoats. The music box, which plays for 15 minutes when the album is opened, is in perfect working order.

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Sports

Springfield Beat Hubbard 49-46

Lincoln high school of Springfield won a hard fought basketball game last night from the Hubbard Tigers, 49 to 46.

Leading in the first quarter by five points the Tigers found themselves four points behind at the half, 21 to 17. After tying the game 21-21 early in the third quarter, the Tigers were seven points behind at the start of the fourth quarter, which they could not overcome.

With the score 45 to 47 with only seconds to play Whitney missed under the basket and Springfield went on to win.

Sedalia —	G	FT	F
Fitzpatrick	1	1	2
Gray	0	0	0
Johnson	0	0	0
Jones, A.	3	1	4
Jones, A., Jr.	2	0	5
Whitney	11	3	4
Thomas	0	0	0
Payne, E.	1	1	2
Alexander	0	0	0
Payne, F.	2	0	5
Jones, D.	0	0	0
	19	6	22

Springfield—	G	FT	F
King	2	2	1
Bradley	0	0	0
Boyd	5	4	1
Thompson	0	0	0
Winston	3	3	3
Payton	0	0	0
Lewis	5	3	4
Smith	2	3	5
Logen	0	0	1
Bradley	0	0	0
	17	15	15

Officials: Dent and Reed.

Parker Will Try To Win as Coach

DETROIT, Dec. 21—(AP)—Raymond (Buddy) Parker helped Detroit win its only professional football title as a player 15 years ago and he's ready to try again—as head coach this time.

Parker, promoted from backfield coach to head coach of the Lions yesterday, said at Kemp, Tex., that he feels "The players we have will make us very much champion contenders next season in the National Professional Football League."

Just about 24 hours after white-haired Alvin (Bo) McMillin resigned the post, Parker agreed to accept a one-year contract in a telephone conversation with Lions president Edwin Anderson.

The 37-year old former Cardinal coach tempered his prediction that the Lions will be contenders with a reminder that the world situation can cancel everything.

He said he'll stick to the T formation as he goes after a title for the club that won its only NFL crown in 1935. Parker, a rookie just graduated from Centenary, played on that team.

Anderson declined to discuss Parker's salary terms. A usually reliable source indicated Parker will get much less than McMillin's $30,000 a year.

The same source said McMillin, who had two years left on his contract when he resigned, will get the $60,000 due him.

Parker was "tickled to death" when he learned he had been named to the post. "Everybody wants to be a head coach," he said.

He had been a head coach once before in pro ranks. In 1949 he served the Chicago Cardinals as a co-head coach until midway in the season when he took over as head coach.

He resigned after the club ended the year with a 5-6-1 record.

John Ford to be South Captain

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 21—(AP)—Quarterback John (Model T) Ford of Hardin-Simmons will captain the South's team on offense in the Shrine's annual North-South football game on Christmas night in the Orange bowl.

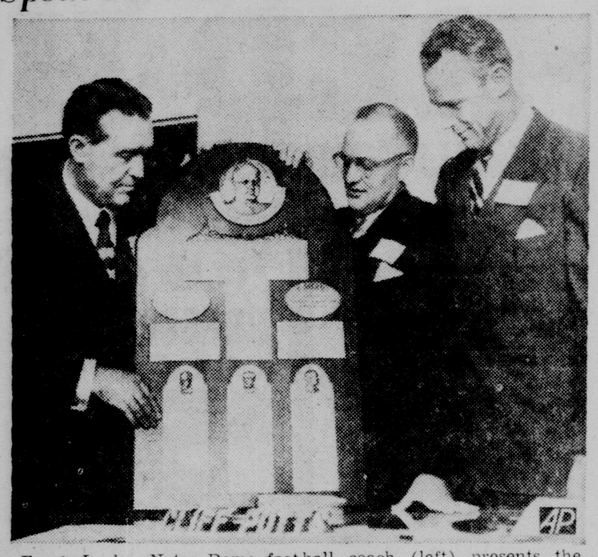
Bob Bossons, Georgia Tech center, was named captain of the defensive team for the rebel squad.

Workouts for the South squad were cut to one daily. Coaches Andy Gustafson of Miami and Bobby Dodd of Georgia Tech had sent the boys through two practice sessions daily since Sunday in preparation for their Monday night date with the North team.

The Rebels put in their first rough work yesterday when Dodd pulled a surprise 10-minute scrimmage.

The Mississippi river dumps more than 400,000,000 tons of dirt into the Gulf of Mexico annually.

Spoils For The Victor



Frank Leahy, Notre Dame football coach (left) presents the O'Donnell trophy to Bud Wilkinson (right), coach of the natoinal championship Oklahoma City. Notre Dame won it last year. Looking on in the middle is Ted Smits, general sports editor of the Associated Press, whose football poll determines the naiton's top team. (AP Wirephoto)

Bowling

Friday 6:45 Merchants

(Bowled Sunday and Wednesday this week).

Name	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dairy Queen	34	14	.708
T. and O. Lime and Rock	29	19	.604
Phillips 66	22	26	.458
Town and Country	21	27	.438
Sport Center	20	28	.417
Pla-Mor Recreation	18	30	.375

High individual game: Gwinn, 234.
High individual series: Gwinn, 622.
High team game: T. and O. Lime and Rock, 856.
High team series: Phillips 66, 2468.

T. and O. Lime and Rock (Won 0)				
Morris	182	133	176	491
Embree	121	180	153	454
Keller	168	150	125	443
Whitfield	184	181	154	519
Thomas	201	159	181	541
Handicap	170	170	170	510
	1026	973	959	2958

Phillips 66 (Won 3)				
Gwinn	234	209	179	622
Blind	151	151	151	453
Rohrbach	150	171	194	515
Domingue	139	172	115	426
Uhr	181	125	146	452
Handicap	196	196	196	588
	1051	1024	981	3055

Pla-Mor Recreation (Won 0)				
Satterwhite	138	156	197	491
Grady	134	127	144	405
Chambers	107	132	123	362
Studer	150	172	167	489
Wittman	162	168	168	498
Handicap	163	163	163	489
	854	918	962	2734

Dairy Queen (Won 3)				
Gard	145	189	145	509
Blind	143	143	143	429
Russell	139	152	157	448
Sedlak	145	195	215	555
Bundy	173	145	159	477
Handicap	127	127	127	381
	872	951	976	2799

Town and Country Shoes (Won 1)				
Wullf	146	112	115	373
Becker	115	84	131	330
Elliott	166	136	158	460
De Michele	150	146	135	431
Pohlman	182	166	163	511
Handicap	186	186	186	558
	945	830	888	2663

Sport Center (Won 2)				
Miers	160	169	189	518
Barnes	156	197	158	511
Phipps	142	137	164	443
Blind	147	147	147	441
Wilson	124	150	145	419
Handicap	151	151	151	453
	880	951	954	2785

College Basketball Games Wednesday

By The Associated Press

Washington 74, Pitt 55.
Columbia 62, Tulane 56.
Northwestern 70, Rice 61.
Villanova 68, North Carolina State 61.
California 86, Baylor 40.
Illinois 71, Washington State 48.
Detroit 64, Marquette 51.
West Virginia 95, George Washington 56.
Purdue 73, Penn 64.
Drake 72, North Texas State 41.
Arkansas 45, Mississippi 35.
Murray State 80, Beloit 78.
Washburn 54, Fort Hays 43.
Southwest Missouri 57, East Texas State 54.
Nebraska Wesleyan 59, Bethany 41.

Sedalia Owls Beat Green Ridge 46-44

The Sedalia Owls Wednesday night defeated Green Ridge by the narrow margin of 46 to 44 at Green Ridge. It was a close and hard fought contest from start to finish.

Trailing throughout the game until the last two minutes of play by three points. Ralph Waters stole the ball from Brown of Green Ridge and broke in to score two points. A free throw by Egbert knotted the count. In the closing seconds Klink came through to make the basket that iced the game.

Anderson of Green Ridge led in the scoring with 19 points followed by Egbert of the Owls with 14.

Box score:

Owls (46)	FG	FT	F
Waters	3	3	4
Homan	1	0	0
Brown	1	1	5
Egbert	6	2	4
Edwards	2	2	1
Klink	6	0	3
Staley	0	0	0
Totals	19	8	17

Green Ridge (44)	FG	FT	F
Brown	4	0	3
Wadleigh	5	2	5
Anderson	8	4	2
Rieche	1	0	0
Wilbern	1	0	0
Calvert	0	0	0
Totals	19	6	10

Gridders Visit To Children

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21—(AP)—The Shrine East and West football teams took time out from scrimmage for their Dec. 30 battle to visit the kids who will benefit from their gridiron efforts.

Both squads went to the Shrine hospital for crippled children yesterday morning.

In the afternoon, practice schedules were resumed, with the west concentrating on offensive plays and the East working on passes

This afternoon the gridders were to go into permanent training camps, the East to Santa Clara and the West to Stanford.

Spanish chess games often are so prolonged that sons finish the games interrupted by the deaths of their fathers.

Shirley Temple To Quit Movies

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21—(AP)—Shirley Temple says she's quitting at 22 the movie career she began 19 years ago.

"That's long enough. My only contract is to Mr. Black," she dimpled, giving her tall, new groom a hug. "And it's exclusive."

Charles Black, asked about the honeymoon they began immediately after their Saturday marriage at Monterey, replied:

"Our honeymoon will last forever."

He added that he must resume his work at TV station KTTV in Los Angeles this week-end.

The honeymooners received the press yesterday. Shirley said:

"My little girl (Linda, 3) needs a lot of both of us."

Linda is her daughter by John Agar, whom she divorced last year.

"I want to be free to go where Charles goes," Shirley added.

That could be difficult, Black, 31, is a lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve. He said he has no idea when he may be called to active duty.

Fights Wednesday Night

By the Associated Press

NEW YORK — Percy Bassett, 132, Philadelphia, knocked out Sonny Boy West, 133½, Washington, 7.

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — Billy Kilgore, 165½, Birmingham, stopped Steve Belloise, 164, New York, 3.

Gloria Swanson Top Actress

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Gloria Swanson's come-back firm, "Sunset Boulevard," was rated by the National Board of Review as the best American movie of 1950.

Miss Swanson was the board's choice as top actress of the year. Alec Guines, star of "Kind Hearts and Coronets," was termed the best actor.

John Huston was cited for his direction of "Asphalt Jungle."

"The Titan" was chosen as the year's best foreign film.

After 'Sunset Boulevard," the board picked in order "All About Eve," "The Asphalt Jungle," "The ment," "Edge of Doom," "Twelve O'clock High," "Panic in the Streets," "Cyrano De Bergerac," "No Way Out," and 'Stage Fright."

It Was Harmless

CORNERBROOK, Nfld. —(AP)— A small snake found when a crate of bananas was unpacked caused much excitement here. It was sent to St. John's and thence to Toronto, where a museum expert has found it was a small type of boa constrictor, harmless except for its sharp teeth.

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Noted Trick Rider Visits The Members of Circus Family

Rex Rossi, world champion trick rider, runner-up champion trick roper of the world, and a young man who thrills the movie goers in his breath-taking feats as a double in Western movies for Roy Rogers, Gene Autry, Bob Steele and all the other Western stars, is in Sedalia to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Pease, and Mr. Pease, 1818 East Ninth street. Rex is also an actor and has just completed 35 television films, with a contract for more in which he will be the star, but the thing that really means the most to him is the rodeo.

This likable young man feels better in cowboy clothes than anything else, for Rex, born in show business, the fifth generation of show people on his mother's side, started in trick riding on a Shetland pony in the circus when he was four years old. He was born 31 years ago in Greenville, Ky., his mother's home town at the time the circus happened to be showing in that place.

Formerly With Tom Mix

When he was 16 years old, in 1936, Tom Mix became interested in him and recognized his outstanding ability as a trick rider. He was with Mix two years until



Rex Rossi's little brothers: Jimmie (left), 14, Smith-Cotton high school student; Benny, 11, pupil at Washington school, who came to Sedalia with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pease in September and reside at 1818 East Ninth street. Jimmie and Benny Rossi are the best trick riders and ropers for their age in the business. They were born and reared in the circus and are circus acrobats.



Rex Rossi, shown making his famed Roman leap atop his superbly trained horses. This is the only span of American quarter horses used for Roman riding and jumps.



Rex Rossi, right, world champion trick rider for the ninth time, and also runner-up champion trick roper, pictured with Roy Rogers, one of his best friends and for whom he has doubled in western movies. Rossi has doubled and co-starred with all western stars.

Mix's death. It was Hoot Gibson who got Rex in the movies.

With his horse, Apache, 14 years old, he defended his title as champion trick rider of the world for the ninth time in 1950 at Madison Square Garden. It is really something to ride in Madison Square Garden, for it is harder to get the opportunity to do that than to break into the movies, he explained.

"That was one of my biggest thrills" he said, "because they scouted all over the country for the best trick rider and they picked me." He has signed a contract to appear in the Madison Square Garden next year, too, from September 27 to October 22.

Rex is with the J. E. Ranch Rodeo. He has a specially built trailer for his horse, saddle, and clothes and last year traveled 29,000 miles. He has been in every state in the union and during the war when he couldn't pass the physical to go in service he gave shows for the USO for which he received recognition.

For the past nine years Rex has had Apache, his brown and white pinto and recently he bought another horse a chestnut sorrel with four stocking legs and a bald face.

Rex was with Bob Steele for ten years, doubling with him and co-starring with him. One of his best friends is Roy Rogers, and his closest friend is Dennis Morgan.

One of his most exciting experiences was jumping off of his horse, grabbing a rope ladder hanging from a dirigible and climbing the ladder up 35 feet into the dirigible, wearing high heeled boots and with two guns. "I wouldn't want to do it again," said Rex. "I've seen fellows do stunts like that and I thought they were crazy—I said I wouldn't do it—but I did in order to get started."

Quit One Stunt

"One of my best stunts I had to quit because of the audience" he said. "It was where I went over backwards off the back of the horse and was dragged around the arena but the public thought I just didn't do my stunt and really fell off, so I had to quit."

Rex is mighty proud of the rest of his show family, too. His mother, who looks more like a sister, also grew up in the circus. She rode horses and also the elephants. He includes his pretty sister, Evelyna, queen of the circus trapese acts, and his two little brothers, Jimmie Rossi, 14, and Benny Rossi, who are trick riders and ropers.

It was in the spring of this year that the Mliler cicus in which Mrs. Pease and Evelyna were performers, came to Sedalia. Mr. Pease, who had been a circus business manager but who is now a salesman specializing in merchandise for auction sales, wanted to settle down somewhere. When the circus was billed for Sedalia Mr. Pease told his wife to look the town over carefully for he planned to buy a home in Sedalia. So when the circus came to Sedalia Mrs. Pease and Evelyna took it in good, decided they liked it too, and so in September they came here to reside. They are renting a place at 1818 East Nnith street, and still looking around for the kind of a home they want here. When they find it they are going to buy.

But by the time the family was ready to come to Sedalia Evelyna was no longer with them. The pretty little 25-year-old trapese artist had won the heart of Lt. Bob Snodgrass and married him in June. They are now residing in Baltimore, Md.

Little Brothers Tricksters

Following in Rex's footsteps are the two little brothers, who are the best trick riders and rope twirlers for their ages in the businuess. They have been in military schools all their lives and they are really happy in Sedalia because this is the first time they have ever been in public schools and they like it. Jimmie is in Smith-Cotton and Benny is in Washington school.

Benny, the baby of the family, was born in a house-car right behind the big circus tent while the show was going on. That was in Collinsville, Ala., and the next day the show, mother and babe moved on to another town.

Benny is a real trouper, too. He and Jimmie were acrobats in the circus and one day in a tumbling act his knee hit against his mouth causing his tooth to cut his lip. It was a bad cut, bled terribly and left a lump that is there even now, but it didn't stop Benny's act, not then, nor the next day nor the next—he just kept right on sore lip or no sore lip.

Benny and Jimmie have made many friends here and two boys just about their ages live in the neighborhood. One day the father of the other two boys came by just in time to see one of the Rossi boys tumble off the garage and then, to his astonishment, his own boy do the same thing. He rushed over to find him not too badly hurt and told him not to try such a stunt again.

"If Benny can do it, so can I" came the reply, and the father gave orders that he didn't want that again, "Benny is an acrobat, he knows how to fall," said the father, "but you will probably break your neck."

Rex's dad was the leader of the circus band. He is Joe Rossi who is still in the business. "He wanted me to be a musician," said Rex, "but I didn't want it—I wanted to ride—I wanted to be a cowboy."

Lost Life in Action

There has been sorrow in the Rossi family, too. The handsome Mark Rossi, two years younger than Rex, who was making his way toward the top of the ladder, went into the service of his country in the cavalry and was killed in action in Burma on December 15, 1944. He was awarded the silver star and the purple heart.

Mark was also a trick rider and he and Rex were billed as the Famous Rossi Brothers. He had a contract as a movie stor and was to have started two days after he was called into service.

Rex is considering leaving his horses here for a time until his rodeo starts again. He will be here awhile, sometime after the holidays and in the spring he has an engagement in Cuba. This is the first time he has been in Sedalia and he likes it, but, he thinks, coming here from California, that the weather is a little cold, and we agree, its nicer, just a little warmer.

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Deanna Durbin Weds Director

SARREQUEMINES, France, Dec. 21—(AP)—Pretty movie songstress Deanna Durbin and screen director Charles David were married here today in a simple civil ceremony.

It was the third marriage for Miss Durbin, 28, and the second for 44-year old David.

Miss Durbin, dressed in a simple traveling suit, replied "oui" to the deputy mayor of this little industrial city who asked, "Do you wish to marry Monsieur Charles David?"

Plans of the couple — close friends for several months—were not announced but it was learned they will return to Paris at the end of the week.

Miss Durbin has spent the past six months in Europe awaiting her final divorce decree from Hollywood produced Lelix Jackson. She and David traveled about during much of this time, avoiding all publicity.

The Canadian-born actress was divorced from her first husband, Vaughan Paul, in 1941. She married Jackson four years later.

Miss Durbin first won screen renown in the picture "Three Smart Girls," released in 1936. A steady succession of starring roles followed in which Miss Durbin's youthful voice thrilled millions of moviegoers.

Recently she went into semi-retirement and has announced no plans to return to the screen.

Chrysler Car of Officer Flewellen Found Burned

The 1941 Chrysler sedan of Officer Clarence Flewellen, 313 East Jefferson street, was found on the Georgetown road off Highway 65 north of Sedalia early Wednesday. The car had been burned.

Flewellen reported he had turned the car over to a Negro to take it to a service station and it failed to be returned. An investigation is being conducted by Flewellen and other police officers.

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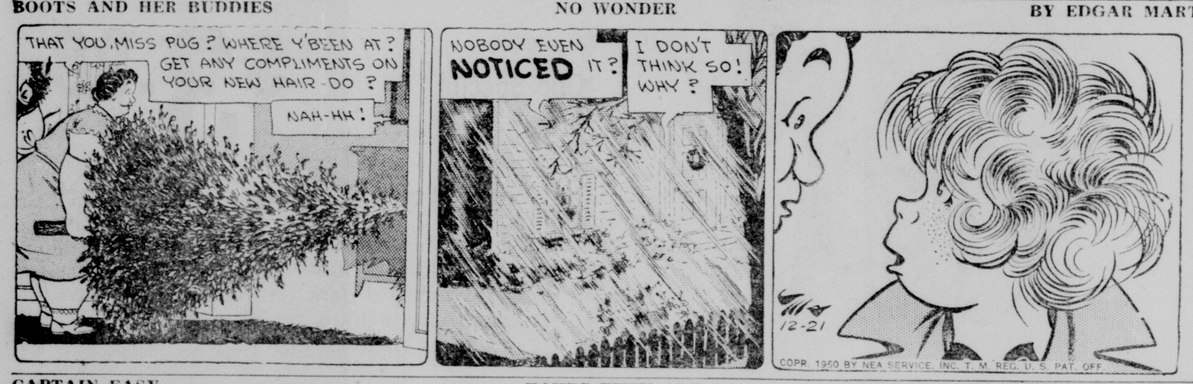
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Baluchistan Beast

HORIZONTAL

1 Depicted animal
7 —— of swift horses are used to run it down in capturing it
13 Cylindrical
14 Young bird of prey
15 Irritate
16 Appellations
18 Note in Guido's scale
19 Symbol for cobalt
20 Pompous displays
22 Pair (ab.)
23 Symbol for calcium
24 Comparative suffix
26 Horse's gait
28 Swarm
31 Underground plant part
32 Former Russian ruler
33 Small island
34 Vex
35 Equal
36 Devotees
37 Registered nurse (ab.)
38 And (Latin)
39 Laughter sound
41 Colonizes
47 Symbol for thoron
49 Winglike part
51 Stair part
52 Honey-maker
53 Overpowering fright
55 Horsemen
57 Bristly
58 Sacred songs

VERTICAL

1 Auditory
2 Roman emperor
3 Noah's boat
4 Goddess of the earth
5 Heating device
6 Hindmost
7 Bamboolike grass
8 Facility
9 Long (ab.)
10 Brew made with malt
11 Sharp, quick cry
12 Heavenly body
17 Parent
20 Archetypes
21 Sentinels
23 Refrigerant
25 Withstand
26 Journey
27 Flower
29 Seasoning
30 Very (Fr.)
39 Head coverings
40 On the sheltered side
42 God of love
43 Weary
44 One key only (ab.)
45 Sweet secretion
46 Goddess of discord
47 Tenure
48 Promontory
50 Skill
52 Babylonian deity
54 Universal language
56 District attorney (ab.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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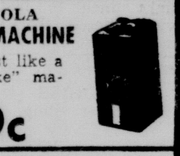
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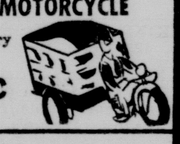


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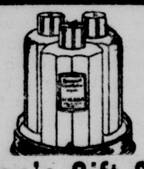
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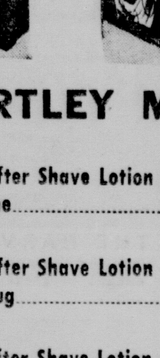
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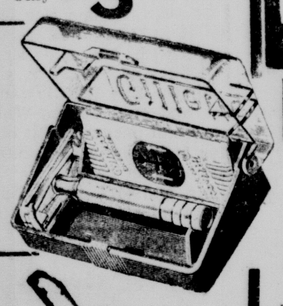


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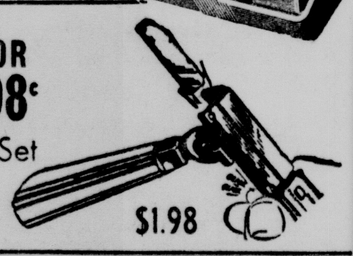
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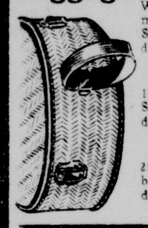
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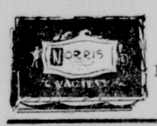
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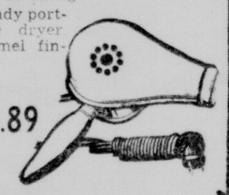


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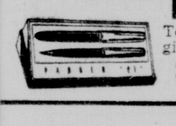
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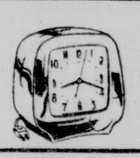
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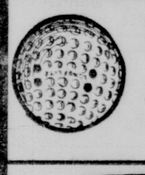
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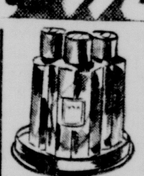


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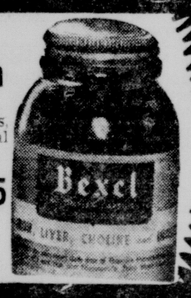


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I Announcements

3—In Memoriam

FOR TELEGRAPHING FUNERAL flowers, visit or phone our shop. All details simply explained. Pfeiffer's Flower Shop.

5—Funeral Directors

YOU SHOULD INVESTIGATE THE PERSONAL SECURITY PLAN

in time of need the entire cost of memorial services can be paid through the personal security plan regardless of how little has been paid in advance.

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McLAUGHLIN BROS. FUNERAL CHAPEL

6—Monuments, Cemetery Lots

YOUR FAMILY MONUMENT is bought once to last forever. Be wise, choose Heynen Monuments, 301 East 3rd.

7—Personals

JOE SNODGRASS is located, Aven Barber Shop, 108 South Ohio.

WATKINS PRODUCTS: Store, 814 West 16th. Phone 1011. Powell Cain.

WATKINS DEALER: Free delivery. 423 North Summit. Phone 4040-W.

IT'S THE GO! Glaxo plastic type water clear linoleum coating ends waxing. Dugan's.

HANDMADE HANDERCHIEFS, crochet trim. Lovely Christmas gifts. Phone 2578. Mrs. Messenger.

ENTERTAINERS WANTED: Can you sing? Dance? Play an instrument? If so enter the talent contest now. Cash prizes for the winners. Complete information at the box office. Uptown Theatre.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

STRAYED: RED HEIFER, 550 pounds, November 23rd. Hayman Higgins, Houstonia.

II Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1940 PONTIAC, cheap. Will trade for pickup. 303 East Morgan.

1951 KAISER: new. 1948 Kaiser, equipped. Terms. 1809 So. Osage

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap. Decker Used Cars, 220 East 2nd.

1937 STUDEBAKER COUPE: Heater and overdrive. Clyde Williams, 644 East 10th.

1938 CHEVROLET, good condition. Reasonable. 1406 South Missouri. Call 1791-M.

ROUTSZONG MOTOR COMPANY for better used cars at lower prices. 225 South Kentucky Phone 397.

1940 GRAHAM CUSTOM Sedan, 4-door, one owner, low mileage, overdrive, new tires, heater. This car like new. $495. 904 Arlington. Phone 4821.

SALE OR TRADE: 1949 Ford, 1947 Chevrolet, 1946 Super Buick, all extra clean cars. Our prices lowest in town. Longest trades given with terms. Janssen's Motors, 540 East Third. Open evenings and Sundays. Phone 517.

11-A—House Trailers For Sale

1949 VAGABOUND HOUSE TRAILER, 30 feet, like new. Phone 5535.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts

USED TIRES: Guaranteed from 6 to 12 months at prices of $1.50 and up. You can save money by seeing us first. O. K. Rubber Welders, 540 East 3rd Street. Phone 116.

14A—Garages

RECAP your present tires, save at least 60%, with Radi tred or O. K. Chain tread with 25% more traction than chains. Nation wide guarantee. O. K. Rubber Welders, 540 East 3rd. Phone 116.

GENERAL AUTO REPAIRING: Lubrication, welding, brake lining, brake parts, ignition parts service. Permanent anti-freeze. Let us give you an estimate. Sedalia Brake Service, Eleventh Street and 65 Highway.

WILL YOUR MOTOR START?
WILL YOUR BRAKES STOP?
BETTER BRING YOUR CAR TO
TODD'S AUTO SERVICE
103 East 16th Phone 96

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

1951 HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE ON SALE NOW

Battery Charging
(Fast or Slow)
Fill With New 1951 RED CROWN
FLORAL TIRE AND BATTERY
Highway 65 South, Phone 3260

17—Wanted—Automotive

WANTED USED TIRES: We pay more than the rest to get the best. O. K. Rubber Welders, 540 East 3rd.

II Automotive

17—Wanted—Automotive (Continued)

WANTED AUTOMOBILES, trucks, pickups. Janssen's Motors, 540 East 3rd.

III Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

HUNT'S SHOE SHOP 1118 East 5th.

SEWERS and drains opened our way or no pay. 2720.

ZAHRINGER REFRIGERATION service. Phone 4126 or 3937.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop. 704 South Ohio. 3987

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE: 25 years at 1319 South Osage Phone 854.

IDEAL PRINTING COMPANY. 411 Wilkerson at Moniteau Phone 120.

INVESTIGATIONS: Confidential and reliable. 920 East 10th. Phone 1694.

UPHOLSTERING, SLIPCOVERING: John Miller Upholstering Shop, 613 South Engineer 2295

CESS POOL and septic tank cleaning. Phone 1106-J or write Esser Brothers, Route 2, Sedalia, Missouri.

MIDDLETON GUN and Curio shop, 213½ East Main. Phone 3481 Antiques of historical interest Guns repaired

POND BUILDING, hedge pushing, general dozer and crane work. Phone 515, Howard Construction Company, 1419 North Osage.

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup, delivery. Burkholders, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

WASHERS, RADIOS, Vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes. Sales and service. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710

ELECTRIC MOTORS REPAIRED, rebuilt. All work guaranteed. Cole's Electric Motor Service, 420 South Osage. Phone 410.

MACHINE WORK: Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Mo. Homer Hall, 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766.

CUSTOM DIGGING for gas, water, sewer lines and field tileing. 8 inch and 14 inch width For estimates call 5257-M-4. R. R. Harkless, 8 miles South on 65 Highway.

CUSTOM BUTCHERING and meat processing. Most modern and sanitary packing house in Pettis county. Burnett Packing Company, West Main Street Road, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 318.

RUSCO All Metal
Combination storm windows and screens 36 months to pay
Dean S Binderup. Phone 5696 Evenings.

18-B—For Rent

NEW FLOOR SANDERS, electric floor polishers Caulking guns Dugan's, Phone 142.

NEW FLOOR SANDER, polisher for rent day or half day Cook's Paint, 416 South Ohio Phone 108.

19—Building and Contracting

CARPENTER, PAINTING and repair work. Guy Brownfield Phone 2228.

BUILT-IN CABINETS and storm windows, also furniture repairs. Phone 4765.

21—Dressmaking and Millinery

SEWING WANTED: 537 East 4th Phone 1938.

SEWING, ALTERATIONS prompt by former sewing instructor. Phone 1747-W.

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

M. F. A. HOSPITAL INSURANCE Roy Gerster, 107 East 2nd Phone 337.

M. F. A. INSURANCE, all kinds. Robinson, Phone 709. M. F. A. Exchange.

24—Laundering

IRONINGS WANTED: Phone 881.

WASHINGS WANTED: Phone 1216. 1206 East 14th.

RUTH ANN'S LAUNDERETTE: 715 West 16th. Phone 3257.

WASHINGS and ironings wanted. 902 East Boonville. Phone 1370-J.

LO-MART HOME LAUNDRY, clean, sanitary Wet or dry service. 30 minute wash. 507 South Ohio. Phone 629. Shop while you wash.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

LIGHT HAULING: Also trash and cinders. Phone 1912.

SEDALIA MOVING and Transfer. Phone 10. Free estimates all jobs.

LIVESTOCK HAULING: Kansas City and St. Louis Trailer truck or pickup Phone 3862-W Herman L. Geiser.

DAN DOTY'S MID-STATE STORAGE and Transfer. Dependable service, storage, local and long distance moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific Tracks. Phone 946.

FRANK VAN DYKE, Phone 702. Specialize furniture moving, local, long-distance. P. S. C., I. C. C. permits. Agent for American Red Ball Transit, Pioneer movers anywhere in U. S. Call day or night, Frank Van Dyke, 5150-W-1, or Amos Franklin 3158-M. Livestock hauling anywhere. Freight, irregular route.

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III Business Service (Continued)

26—Painting, Papering

HANGING AND CLEANING paper, also painting. Phone 722.

PAPER CLEANING — Paper steaming. Painting. C. L. Vansel. Phone 3721-W.

PAINTING, Papering, Floor refinishing. Work guaranteed W Bransetter, Phone 3017-J.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates Phone 2928-W.

CHIMNEY WORK, carpenter painting, concrete and plumbing J M Holloway, 311 West 9th, Phone 5680.

30—Tailoring and Pressing.

TAILORING, Alterations Quality workmanship. Ladies, men's. John Thies, 218 Lamine.

IV Employment

33A—Salesmen Wanted

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR 1951? A good Rawleigh business is hard to beat. Big line well established makes good profits. No experience required. Write today for information now to get started. Rawleigh's, Department MOL-452-254, Freeport, Illinois.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABY SITTING wanted, day or hour. 1405 West 11th. 1424-W.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK WANTED or maid work. Pearl Miner. Phone 5561.

TYPING, SHORTHAND or general office work wanted. Experience and refernces. Write Box 730 care Democrat.

V Financial

40 Money to Loan—Mortgages

FARM AND CITY LOANS 4%, no commissions. W. D. Smith.

VII Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

CANARIES: Guaranteed singers, all colors. 1501 East 14th. Phone 54.

BEAUTIFUL BLOND SPANIEL puppies, swell Christmas gift. 1028 Merriam. 4074-J.

COCKER SPANIEL PUPS: Registered, price $7.50 and up. See at 3 miles west of Hughesville. Bob Yancey.

COCKER SPANIEL PUPPIES: A gift for young or old. A wide selection now. Toby's 17 miles South Sedalia, Highway 65.

47A—Rabbits for Sale

RABBITS for eating or pets. 50c, 75c and $1.00. 1008 East 15th.

47B—Food For Pets

FRESH HORSE MEAT: 10 pound. Sedalia Rendering Company, Phone 5090.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

BLACK COW with heifer calf. 1904 South Prospect.

HAMPSHIRE BOAR: Tom Conway, LaMonte, Missouri.

FINE HOG, red, black, 400 Pounds. 2013 South Ohio. 2456-R

CHOICE GUERNSEY - JERSEY, heavy springer. Phone 5080-W.

PALOMINO FILLY COLT, coming 2 years old. Otto Heaper, LaMonte, Missouri.

KILLER HORSES: We pay $1.50 hundred, delivered. Sedalia Rendering Company.

49—Poultry and Supplies

BROILERS: $1 each. 1524 East 6th.

FRYERS: Nice for lockers, 28c pound. Carl Walter, Phone 3254.

BROAD BREASTED TURKEYS: 30c and 40c pound. Call Smithton 2420.

NEW HAMPSHIRE PULLETS, 4 months old. Leland Harsch, Mora, Missouri.

DRESSED FRYERS: 50c pound; dressed hens, 40c pound; live fryers, live hens 30c pound. 2023 South Grand. Phone 3527-J.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

FRESH HOGSHEAD WANTED: Phone 3648.

WANTED 15 COWS: 2 to 4 years old, right at freshening, any color. 12 miles North 65. Lakin.

VIII Merchandise

51 Articles for Sale

CHILD'S ELECTRIC STOVE, good as new. 402 East 3rd.

CEDAR CHRISTMAS TREES — Phone 1047-J. 1812 So. Osage.

OIL CIRCULATOR: 4 rooms, used 1 year. Reasonable. Phone 4263.

MANGLE, love seat, new Dormeyer mixer, chair, dishes. 2300 South Ohio.

BABY BED; "Can't-Wet" mattress, practically new, $30. 913 East 3rd, second floor.

GUNS: Bought, sold, exchanged. Janssen's Motor, 540 East 3rd. Open evenings.

KEROSENE LAMPS, velvet drapes bicycles and repairs. 2300 South Ohio.

THE IDEAL GIFT for a child 2 to 6. Mobo Broncho Mechanical riding horse, new. Will sacrifice. 2212 South Ohio.

ANTIQUES: Rare and beautiful gifts at Manaughs, Highway 65 at 18th Street. Open daily, evenings until Christmas.

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

PIANO AND BENCH, $20. Wood saw on auto chasis, $40. Oil burning refrigerator, 8 foot, $70. McMillin, Otterville, Missouri. Phone 2320.

BARGAINS: 5 used pianos, refrigerators, wardrobe trunk, good condition. ¾ rollaway bed, dining room suite. Mid-State Storage, Phone 946.

51A—Barter and Exchange

GUNS: SHOTGUNS, rifles, 22 pistols, ammunition, sell trade. We also buy antique and modern guns. Sedalia Gun Shop, 220 East 3rd Phone 227.

Call the Blue Ambulance. Phone 175—Adv.

VIII Merchandise (Continued)

51B—Dead Animals

TOP PRICES PAID FOR
DEAD STOCK
Removal in 2 hours of call.
SEDALIA RENDERING CO., Inc
"We Pay Phone Calls"
Phone 5090 Res. Phone 190

53—Building Materials

LUMBER: Oak and pine. Doyle Furnell. Phone 1999.

BLACK DIRT road and concrete gravel Phone 3006-J.

ROAD CONCRETE GRAVEL, black dirt and cinders. Phone 1357-R.

54—Building, Office Equipment

COMPLETE SET RESTAURANT FIXTURES

Includes Steam Table, Grill, Counter, Ten Stools, Refrigerator, Pie Cases, Malt Mixer, Pop Cooler, Coffee Urn, Cash Register, Dishes and Utensils. Now In Operation.

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55A—Farm Equipment

1947 Ford Ferguson Tractor $850

1944 FORD FERGUSON with overdrive—$850

1948 FORD TRACTOR $1,100

I.H.C. F-20 with plow, disc and cultivator $850

All above tractors ovehauled and painted. Service guaranteed.

Stevenson Tractor Co.
Main and Lamine Phone 423

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

COAL for sale. Phone 1489.

WINDSOR LUMP COAL: Phone 5044 or 785.

COAL FOR SALE $7.00 up Phone 417 or 3467

WOOD FOR SALE: Slim Meyers, Phone 5252-M-2

WINDSOR COAL, and dry wood for sale. Phone 5053-W.

GOOD LESPEDEZA HAY: Fred Holman, Phone 3322, Otterville.

55% MEAT SCRAPS or tankage. High Point Service Phone 4224.

ALFALFA and lespedeza hay for sale. Phone 5288-M-2, Joe Reine.

57A—Fruits and Vegetables

APPLES: York Imperials, Sayman, Winesaps, Jonathans. Phone 1207-R.

58—Home-made Things

FANCY TEA TOWELS: 408 West 6th Street.

BEAUTIFUL PLASTIC DOLLS, 8 inch, with crochet dresses and bonnets, pineapple pin cushions, also handkerchiefs. Phone 3569.

59 Household Goods

PHILCO REFRIGERATOR, good condition. Phone 2435.

NEW PILLOWS: Goose feathers or mixed Phone 3640

LIVING ROOM SUITE, 2 piece; gas heater. 1332 after 4:30.

FURNITURE, TOOLS, Etc. Sold, bought. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. 4125.

BEDROOM SUITE, living room suite. Reasonable. 315 East 5th, upstairs.

ANTIQUE GIFTS to cherish. Want Haviland China. Clayton's, 906 Massachusetts.

WE BUY, SELL and Trade: 1218 South Engineer. J. B. Shull Used Furniture Store. All merchandise satisfactory.

USED WASHERS, $35. New and used sweepers, radios. Easy payments. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

NEW AND USED Refrigerators and washing machines. We trade. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 South Lamine. Phone 4710.

VENETIAN BLINDS: Call me for a "blind date." Any style expertly installed. F. H. A. monthly terms of desired. The Blindman. Phone 5696 evenings.

VENETIAN BLINDS: New sensational Ezi-Kleen. Makes cleaning easy. Available immediately. Callies Furniture Company, 203 West Main. Phone 412.

NEW ELECTRIC sewing machines. General Electric ironers and dish washers. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 South Lamine. Phone 4710.

59B—Furniture to Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

62—Musical Merchandise

CONN SAXOPHONE, fine shape. Phone 1618.

BAND INSTRUMENTS WANTED: Highest cash prices paid. 1629 Park. 4622-R.

PIANOS: New and used. Spinets and uprights Jefferson Piano Company, 118 North Lamine at Mid-State Storage.

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, bargain $25 to $85. Band instruments bought, sold, rented, repaired. 1629 Park. 4622-R.

65—Wearing Apparel

WOOL DRESSES, bolero suits, junior sizes. Shoes, very reasonable. 2624-M.

YOUNG GIRL'S, red, fur trimmed, coat. Like new. Size 12. $20.00. 615 East 17th Street.

VIII Merchandise (Continued)

66—Wanted—To Buy

ANTIQUE FURNITURE: Condition not important. Phone 2174.

WE BUY HIDES, tallow, grease. Sedalia Rendering Company. Phone 5090.

WE BUY scrap iron and junk cars. McCowan Brothers Auto Parts. Main and Park. Phone 4012.

WE BUY FURS and dead rabbits. M. and M. Hide, Wool and Fur Company. 301 West Main. Phone 59.

WE BUY COW and horse hides, also grease, sheep pelts and black walnuts. M. and M. Hide and Fur Company, 301 West Main.

WANTED YOUR EAR CORN
We Pay Market Prices
M. F. A. Central Cooperative
212 West Pacific Phone 709

IX Rooms and Board

67—Rooms with Board

ROOM AND BOARD in modern home. Phone 1538.

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM: Modern. 310 West 5th.

SLEEPING ROOM: Furnace heat. 213 East 2nd.

SLEEPING ROOM: Modern. Phone 566 or 4778-J.

TWO MODERN sleeping rooms. 317 West 6th. Phone 153.

FRONT SLEEPING ROOM next to bath. 410 West 7th. 1294-J.

69—Rooms for Housekeeping

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING, sleeping rooms. Utilities furnished. Reasonable. 203 East 6th.

69-A—Trailer Houses

MODERN TRAILER: Heat, lights, hot water, rest room with shower. Phone 728.

72—Where to Stay in Town

PARKING SPACE for trailer. Everything furnished. Rest room, hot water and shower. Howerton's Service Station, 16th and Grand.

X Real Estate for Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

2 ROOM furnished apartment. 1108½ South Ohio.

3 ROOM FURNISHED apartment, close-in. Phone 1271.

TWO ROOMS: Furnished, downstairs. Will take children. Phone 1706-W.

3 ROOM furnished apartment, working people, close-in. Phone 2415-W.

3 ROOM APARTMENT: Semi-modern, 6 miles south Sedalia. 5262-W-1.

3 ROOM furnished apartment, close-in. Adults. Write Box 729 Democrat.

THREE ROOM APARTMENT: Modern, unfurnished. Adults. Phone 2539.

FRONT BEDROOM: Middle aged lady preferred. Kitchen privileges. Phone 1095.

3 ROOM FURNISHED apartment, garage, close-in. References. Adults. Phone 2755.

4 ROOM APARTMENT: Unfurnished. Strictly modern, garage. Adults. 1515 South Grand.

4 ROOM unfurnished apartment, modern, utilities furnished. Smithton, Missouri. Bob George, Phone Sedalia 586 or 19 Smithton.

WEATHERS' COURT APARTMENTS
24 Modern, Private Living Units
Electrical Kitchen Furnished
Well located 1900 block
on West 10th Street
Inquire about vacancies.
AT WEATHERS' DRIVE-IN MARKET
PHONE 582

77—Houses for Rent

4 ROOM MODERN HOUSE: Furnished, garage. Adults. $60. Phone 3580.

FOR LEASE: Unfurnished house, modern, two bedroom, gas furnace, garage. Possession January 1st. 1820 West 18th.

$100 PER MONTH: 912 Crescent Drive. 6 room brick, 1½ baths, gas heat. Or will trade for farm. E. C. Martin, Phone 6.

77A—Furnished Houses for Rent

5 ROOM all modern house, furnished. 1704 East 5th. 2441-W.

78—Offices and Desk Room

GROUND FLOOR OFFICE SPACE with three small rooms. Donnohue Loan and Investment Company, Phone 6.

XI Real Estate for Sale

82—Business Property for Sale

CAFE: Doing excellent business, well located. Long lease on building. Phone 3943-M.

2 STORY BRICK BUILDING, good, 24 by 120 feet, with full basement, good location, gas heat. Phone 841.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

LARGE LISTINGS OF FARMS and other businesses. Stop at my office on 65 Highway at Lincoln, Missouri. Elmer Fristoe, Realtor.

165 ACRES, fine location, 6 rooms, good barn and other buildings, electricity, fences good. For quick sale only $14,000. D. F. Wasson, representing Strout Realty, LaMonte, Missouri.

40 ACRES, 1 mile Smithton, plenty fruit, 8 room house, large barn 65 acres, 7 room house, large barn, well and windmill, $6,500. 140 acres, equipped with tractor and farm machinery, $8,700. 6 room house, 1 block from Ohio Street. 5 room modern, 1 block from Court House. G. S. Graves, 311 East Fifth Street. Phone 3216.

XI Real Estate for Sale (Continued)

83—Farms and Land for Sale (Continued)

160 ACRES nine miles north Sedalia, 5 rooms, electricity, $50 acre. Hieronymus, 5125-M-4.

84—Houses for Sale

FOUR ROOM MODERN HOME: $4,850. Phone 3585.

6 ROOM HOUSE: Cash $3,000 Inquire 1114 East 7th Phone 792.

BY OWNER, 5 ROOM house, southwest. Write Box 727 Democrat.

6 ROOM modern house, unfurnished. Southwest. Phone 2671-J.

12 ROOM APARTMENT HOUSE: Modern, newly remodeled. Phone 4613.

4 ROOM HOUSE, acre of ground, just east of shops. Highest offer over $1500. Phone 294.

6 ROOM HOUSE: Suitable for 2 apartments. Nice bath Phone 59 til 5 p. m. or 3772 afterwards.

5 ROOMS, built-ins, unfinished bath, lights, water, 2 corner lots, paved street. Phone 1870.

NEW MODERN HOME on Crescent Drive, 5 rooms. Already financed. Small down payment. Phone 3318-W.

WE HAVE SEVERAL HOMES that can be G. I. financed. Stephenson Real Estate, 102 East 5th. Phone 479.

NEW HOME 5 rooms, attached garage, all utilities, tile bath and kitchen. $9650. Immediate possession. Phone 1414.

5 ROOMS modern, close-in. Possession, reasonable terms. Close to bus, school, church. Frank Monroe. Phone 74.

INCOME APARTMENT HOUSES all kinds. Charles R. Gentry, Real Estate Broker. Call Tom or Nellie Donaldson, 1168.

HOUSE TRAILERS
New and Used
Easy Terms. 24 to 36 months.
Liberal Trade-in
White Spot Tourist Camp
½ mi. West 50 Hiway. Phone 4259

89—Wanted—Real Estate

WE HAVE CASH PROSPECTS for homes. List with us Stephenson Real Estate, 102 East 5th. Phone 479.

NEED FARMS TO SELL: Buyers from distant states want to know about yours. Costs nothing without a sale. List now to get in next catalog. D. D. Wasson, representative Strout Realty, LaMonte, Mo.

Quickies by Ken Reynolds



". . . that teakettle you saw in the Democrat-Capital Want Ads — has whistled all the way home!"

Lodge Notices

Sedalia Council No. 42, R. & S. M., will meet in Stated Assembly on Dec. 21, 1950 at 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic temple. Annual election of officers. Visiting members welcome.

L. C. Judd, Ill. M.
T. W. Aulgur, Recorder.

Loyal Rebekah lodge No. 260 will hold its regular business session on Friday, Dec. 22nd at the American Legion hall.

Mrs. J. F. Kirkhart, N. G.
Mrs. Loren Attebury, Sec'y.

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O. E. S. will meet in regular session on Friday, Dec. 22 at 7:30 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Degrees, reception for new members of 1950 and social session.

Ruby Brummet, W. M.
Gertrude Holland, Sec'y

All Knights Templar and their wives are most cordially invited to attend the Christmas services to be held at the Calvary Episcopal church Sunday, December 24 at 10:30 p. m. Please assemble at the temple at 10 p.m. that we may go to the church in a body.

W. L. Reed, Commander.
J. Max Holland, Recorder.

• *Community News from*

Versailles

(MRS. J. W. PADGETT)

J. B. Todd suffered an injury to his left hand Friday evening while putting up a Christmas tree at the telephone office. He was using an ax to trim off the branches when the ax handle caught in his clothing causing it to slip cutting the fingers badly. He was treated by Dr. J. Loren Washburn.

Doran Gehart and daughter, Mrs. Robert Burgess and Mrs. Handy Handley, went to Kansas City Saturday to be with Mrs. Gehart who is at St. Luke's hospital critically ill. Mr. Gehart and daughter returned Sunday and Mrs. Handley will remain with her sister several days at the hospital.

Mrs. S. W. Taulbee, Mrs. W. O. Krog and Mrs. D. L. Williams all of Versailles attended the funeral Monday afternoon of Mrs. Lillie Spaunhorst of Jefferson City which was held at a funeral home there at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Spaunhorst had been ill some time and last week suffered a severe stroke. She was a cousin of Mrs. W. O. Krog of Versailles.

Misses Lena and Henrietta Carter of St. Louis are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Wray McKinley of Versailles.

Sharon Kay Whittle daughter of SFc and Mrs. Vernon Whittle has bronchial pneumonia at her home. Her father is in the army and is stationed in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eppenauer and family of Versailles will entertain Christmas day for Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Holloway and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Slivey, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kruse and family all of Hopewell and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Holloway of Versailles.

Don Tyson and Miss Hazel Reed both from the University of Arkansas will spend Christmas with Dons mother, Mrs. Carl Ratcliff and Mr. Ratcliff and Mrs. Ruby Carlton all of Versailles.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Hunter, Sr., of Versailles will have for holiday guests their children, Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Hunter, Jr., and Misses Naomi and Jessie Hunter, and Mrs. Wilma Cook and daughter, Sharon of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fields and daughter, Diana, of St. Louis spent the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kiser of Versailles.

Moss McDonald, County Sup't, went to Columbia Monday where he will attend a three-day conference of County Superintendents.

The Versailles elementary school presented their annual Christmas program at the high school Tuesday evening December 19th at 7 o'clock. Thursday night December 21 the high school will give their musical program at 7:30 in the high school gym. The programs are directed by Wilber Schmoll music director.

Miss Donelle Whitaker teacher in Versailles school will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker of Jefferson City and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pitts of Broadcamp, Ark., also her brother, David Whitaker of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ephland left Friday morning for Wichita, Kas., where they will visit Mrs. Ephlands sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mitzel. The Mitzels are moving soon from Wichita to Kansas City. They will spend some time with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eugene Mitzel of Minnesota where he is instructor in the University.

The Training Union of the Baptist church went caroling Monday night, there were 7 boys and girls and their counselor Miss Donelle Whitaker.

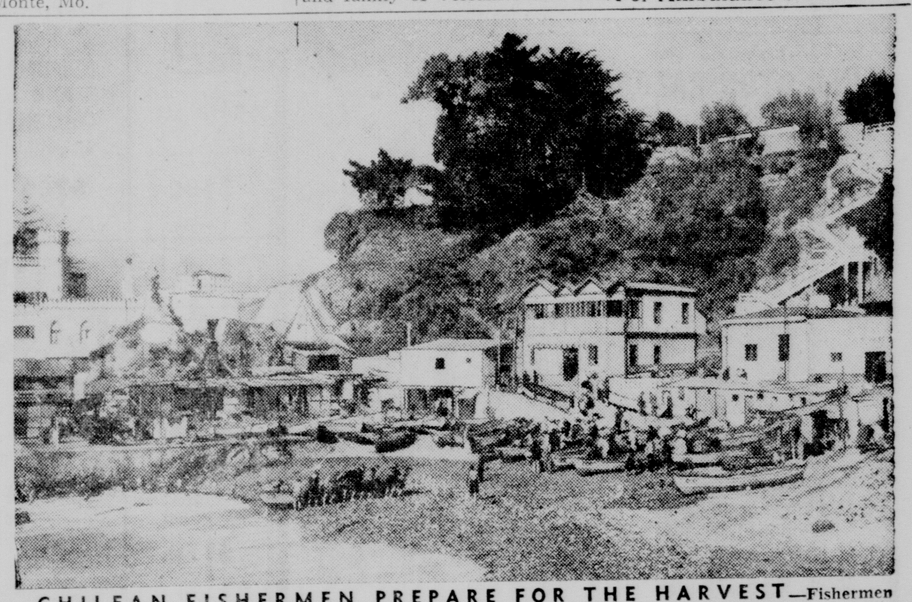
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Brown of Kansas City, Friday night December 15th at Mercy hospital, Kansas City. Her weight was 6 pounds and 4 ounces and her name is Marsha Winn. Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Stidham of Versailles.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Walker of Independence spent from Friday night until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Drake. A card party was given in their honor Saturday night. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Hite, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Day, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drake and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Terhune. Refreshments of cake, coffee and candy was served by the hostess and Janet Drake a niece.

Does Own Financing

DAUPHIN, Man. — (AP) — Since 1934 this town has done its financing locally. A total of $259,000 in debentures has been subscribed by Dauphin citizens without any assistance from outside bond dealers.

For Ambulance Service. Ph 8



CHILEAN FISHERMEN PREPARE FOR THE HARVEST—Fishermen in one of Chile's coast hamlets near Valparaiso prepare their boats for the annual "harvest of the sea." Herring and merluza, a species of whiting, are caught in great quantities.



DIPLOMACY ON THE ROAD—George Allen, U. S. Ambassador to Yugoslavia, tilts wine bottle as Mrs. Allen waves, in toast to newly-wed couple on a road near Rijeka, in accordance with tradition that anyone meeting a wedding couple on road should drink from happy pair's bottle.

Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* Illustrated by Walt Scott



Scrooge bounded out of bed to the window. "What's today, my fine fellow?" he shouted to a boy in the street. "Today?" replied the boy. "Why, it's Christmas Day!"



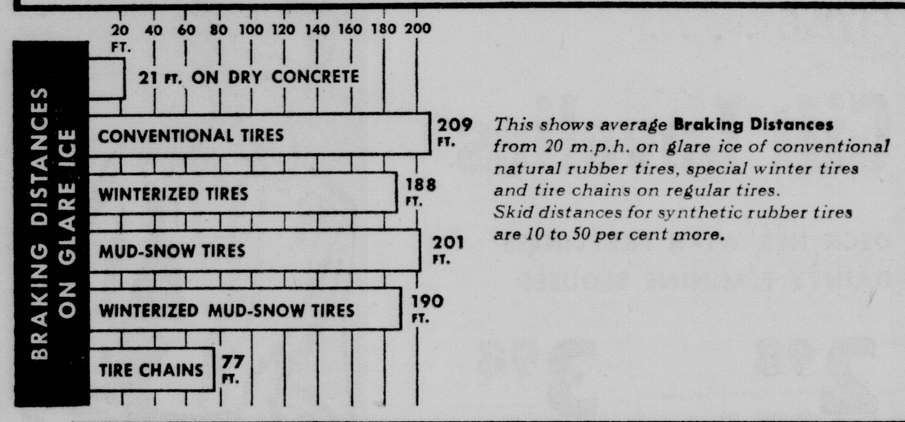
Scrooge ordered the biggest turkey in history sent round to Bob Cratchit's House.



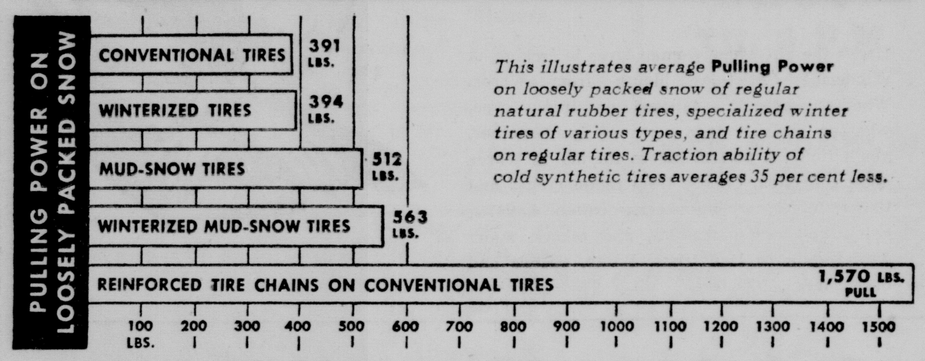
Meeting the two philanthropists, whom he had only yesterday pushed out of his office, Scrooge gave them a donation to charity that made their heads swim.

DON'T S'KID YOURSELF!

Test Facts That May Save Your Life



This shows average **Braking Distances** *from 20 m.p.h. on glare ice of conventional natural rubber tires, special winter tires and tire chains on regular tires. Skid distances for synthetic rubber tires are 10 to 50 per cent more.*



This illustrates average **Pulling Power** *on loosely packed snow of regular natural rubber tires, specialized winter tires of various types, and tire chains on regular tires. Traction ability of cold synthetic tires averages 35 per cent less.*

Engineers Find Answer to Winter Traction Puzzle

Winterized tires and mud-snow tires may or may not stop somewhat shorter on glare ice than conventional tires made of natural rubber, but tire chains stop much shorter. Not shown on above charts but generally understood is the fact that tires made of cold synthetic rubber—which wears better—skid or spin 10 to 35 per cent more than natural rubber. Tests were made at Clintonville, Wis., by National Safety Council's Committee on Winter Driving Hazards. This committee consists of public officials and automotive and safety engineers. Tests were made to end confusion over conflicting claims which involve traffic safety during winter months.

SAFE WINTER DRIVING "*Tips*" from National Safety Council



1 Get the "feel" of the road by trying your brakes while driving slowly and when no other vehicles are near.



2 Keep your windshield and windows clear of snow and ice, fog and frost. Be sure your headlights, windshield-wiper blades, and defrosters are in good working order. You must see danger to avoid it.

3 When you have to stop, pump your brakes up and down—jamming them on may lock the wheels and throw your car into a skid.

4 Use tire chains on ice and snow. They cut braking distances on cars and trucks 40 to 70 per cent and provide needed "go" traction. Even with definite help of chains, careful driving is necessary.



5 Adjust your speed to road and weather conditions. Slow down on wet, snowy or icy roads so you can stop when you have to.



6 Follow other vehicles at a safe distance—remember that, without chains, it takes from 3 to 12 times as far to stop on snow and ice as on dry concrete.

An African Disease Studied

BRAZZAVILLE, French Equatorial Africa — (AP) — Two doctors sent by the World Health organization and the FAO are now on their way into Central Africa to study the prevalence of the "Red Children" disease there. This deficiency disease, which turns black African children red, is common among the manioc-eating natives of Central Africa.

Prof. J. F. Brock of Capetown university, one of the WHO mission, says in some tribes about 40 percent of child deaths were caused by the disease. It is believed a diet of beans or peanuts would eliminate the disease.

Burmans Charge Police Torture

RANGOON—(AP)—A peace mission committee at Katha, north Burma Irrawaddy town, has charged the police of the district with excesses against the townsfolk. It has told the district commissioner that the police responsible for state property use Japanese Kempeitai methods to force confessions from suspects.

These police are known as the four P's. Their official title is Preservation of Public Property Police. State property includes everything from government treasure to state-controlled forest lands.

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Chance to Save On Income Tax

By Charles E. Molony

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—(AP)—Tip to taxpayers: Some of you can still save money on federal income taxes, but you have only a dozen days left to do it.

Here's how: Crowd all the income possible into this year — when tax rates are lower than they'll be next year — and shift deductions to next year where possible.

Higher taxes in 1951 already are assured by an act of Congress last September, and the increased cost of the rearming drive point to still higher taxes to come.

The September act raised individual income taxes by 12 to more than 20 per cent a year. Only one-fourth of the increase applies to 1950 income, however, because 1950 already was three-fourths gone. The full increase will apply in 1951.

Taxpayers whose entire income is derived from wages or salaries —and that means most taxpayers —can do little to save money on taxes.

Those with big medical and dental expenses, however, might save by shifting payment to 1951, when the deduction would cut down net income that otherwise would be subject to 1951's higher rates.

These expenses can be deducted if they amount to more than five per cent of all income received in the year when the payment is made.

Taxpayers who have some control over the flow of their income, and who can deduct office and business expenses, can do better.

Farmers, for instance, can sell their crops or livestock this year in order to crowd in income. They can delay until next year deductible outlays for such things as barn and fence repairs.

Businessmen, lawyers and doctors can try to speed up collections to this year, postpone deductible outlays — for supplies, organization dues and the like — until 1951.

Some caution is required, however, lest a taxpayer crowd in so much income that he'll push himself into a higher tax-rate bracket this year.

Higher Prices Hit Publishers

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(AP)—Tighter newsprint supplies and higher prices are the prospects facing United States publishers.

Publishing sources figure consumption of the paper used for newspapers is about 6:5 per cent above 1949, while production has gained only about 2.8 per cent.

This simply means digging into stocks for the difference. And stocks are dwindling too.

The supply situation alone has forced some papers to limit the advertising they can accept. Increasing costs are forcing many to advance subscription rates.

During the past few months the price of newsprint has increased generally $6 a ton. Prices vary according to location, but this brings the New York price to $106.

This is the highest in almost 30 years and companies with an all-time top of $120 in the 20's and a low of about $40 in the depression years. Newsprint had climbed to $84 by 1946 and to $100 by the end of 1948. The general $6-a-ton increase this year was the first in about two years.

The current increase appears not to be the end, according to reports from Canada, where United States publishers obtain 80 per cent of their newsprint.

There have been reports from Canada that the firms who went up $6 are dissatisfied. They say the price isn't high enough to attract investors for capital to expand.

The need of expansion is shown in the consumption and production figures and in estimates that publishers will use 3.14 per cent more newsprint next year—6,100,000 tons.

Members of the American Newspaper Publishers Association reported at the end of November they were down to an average of 32 days' supply on hand or in transit, the lowest figure for November 30 since 1946.

Soldier Killed, Three Others Are Injured

KILLEEN, Tex., Dec. 21—(AP)—Cpl Donald S. Melton of Ozark, Ark., was killed Wednesday and three Arkansas soldiers were injured when their car smashed into a bridge abutment five miles east of here.

All were members of the 937th National Guard Field Artillery battalion stationed at Fort Hood near here.

The injured were Sgt. James Wainard of Ozark, scalp wounds; Cpl. Paul Schipley of Alix, broken leg, and Cpl. Thomas Hill of Ozark, dislocated hip.

Melton was the 19-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Melton. His brother, Pfc. Charles T. Melton, is a member of the Guard unit.

No new members were admitted to the UN during 1948, although several nations applied for membership.

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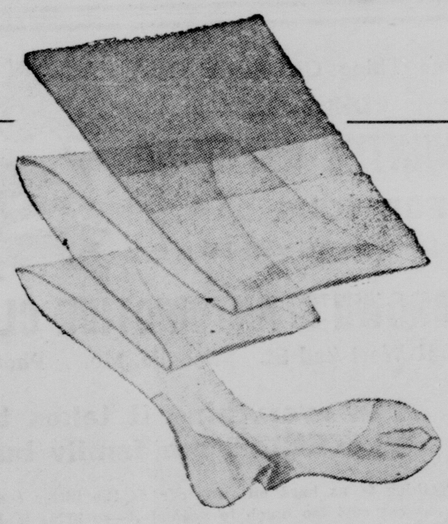
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Feasting at Hotel Bothwell Tuesday at the annual event preceding Christmas holiday season.

Warships Shell the Jungle Camps of Reds

SINGAPORE — (AP) — British warships are giving Communist terrorists in the dense jungles of Mayala a hot time. Units of the Far Eastern Fleet, cooperating with British air and land forces, are pumping shells into Communist camps as fast as they can be spotted.

British soldiers who often have to hack their way into suspected jungle hideouts say the fleet is putting up "a fine show." From time to time, a destroyer or cruiser is dispatched from Singapore up the Malayan coast.

SOFAR (sound fixing and ranging) described an underwater system that will plot the postiion of downed planes and wrecked vessels 2500 miles at sea within a mile of the point of accident. A rescue plane will be winging help within an hour. Within SOFAR, it would be necessary to search thousands of square miles of ocean.

Old Time 'House Warming' Given

An old fashioned charivari and house warming was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Minor who have recently completed the building of a new home northeast of LaMonte. Seventy friends and neighbors were present and they presented Mr. and Mrs. Minor a magazine rack. The guests were treated to refreshments later in the evening.

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Mrs. Fry specializes in renovating statues and religious objects in churches, convents and monasteries. She touches up paint faded by the passage of time or if necessary removes the old pigment and applies a complete new coat. She got the idea "while putting on my makeup one day" and has been doing it for several years.

The letter "Q" does not occur in the names of the states nor their capitals.

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Campbell's Tomato Juice 27¢

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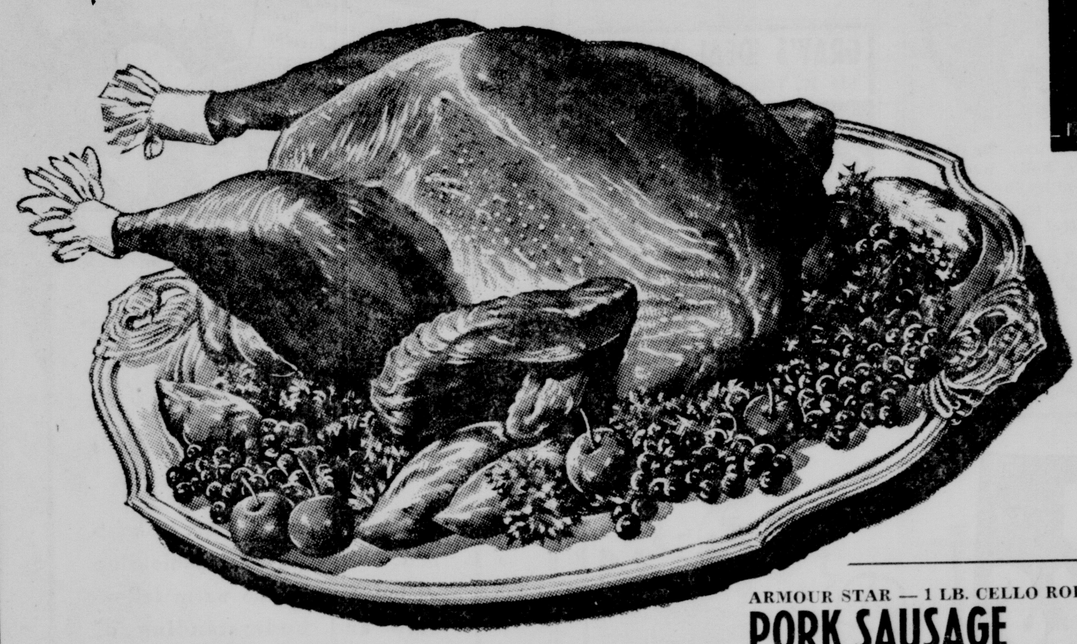
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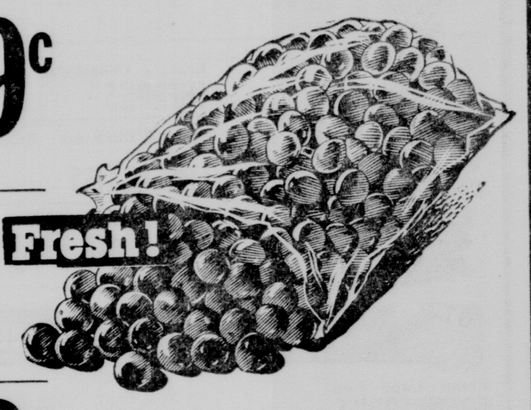
V-8 Cocktail 3 46-oz. Cans $1.

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June Peas PKRS. SWEET 2 No. 303 Cans 23¢

TUNA FISH GRATED FOR SALADS 2 Cans 49¢



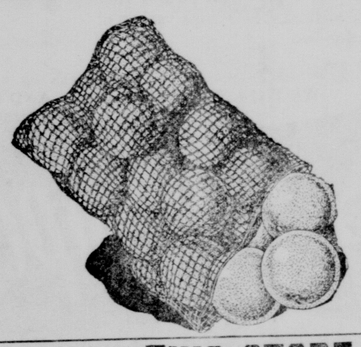
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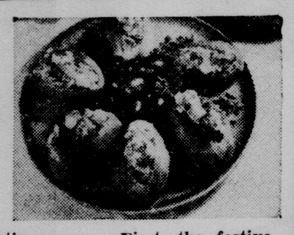
Porto Rican SWEET POTATOES 3 lbs. 29¢

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Three Way Yule Ham Plan







Ham is a winner in three tempting ways: First, the festive whole ham gaily decorated with an edible holly wreath of citron and candied cherries and accompanied by the cranberry sauce filled peach halves. Next, appearing as crispy ham fritters and in hollowed hard rolls as zestful creamed ham.

Wisely Plan With Ham These Busy Days

MENU

Consomme with Croutons
Baked Ham
Buttered Broccoli
Whipped Sweet Potatoes
Orange, Grapefruit Salad with Cranberry Dressing
Hot Muffins
Butter or Margarine
Mincemeat Tarts
Coffee Milk

Today's homemaker is known for her efficient way of preparing and serving foods. And here's just one more idea for you during this busy Christmas season — plan three meals all at once. Start with a big, juicy baked hom — there's no work at all to preparation. Deck the ham with a holly wreath (green tinted citron leaves, candied cherry berries). For the second serving, bring on crispy ham fritters and for a third serving, surprise hollowed hard rolls filled with ham chunks in sauce.

As the ham roasts you may go on about your holiday duties. A ham requires about 15 minutes per pound roasting time. Count on an additional 30 minutes in which to allow the ham to "set" following roasting. This will make carving easier for the host. And, of course, for the carver have the ham cooked just right.

To roast ham, place it fat side up on a rack in an open roasting pan. This way you'll eliminate opening the oven and basting the ham every so often. Fat side up the hot meat juices trickle down through the roast as it cooks in a self-basting process. Set the oven regulator at 300 degrees F. and maintain this temperature throughout roasting. If you insert a roast meat thermometer into the thickest section of the ham, but neither resting in fat nor on bone, you will quickly know when the roast is cooked.

About 30 minutes before the ham is done, remove from the oven and pour off the drippings to be used later for cooking purposes. Remove skin from shank. Combine ½ cup light brown sugar, 2 tablespoons flour and 2 tablespoons vinegar, spread it over the surface of the ham and return to the oven to glaze. When done, remove ham from oven and decorate.

Here is the recipe for the ham and corn fritters.

Ham and Corn Fritters

½ cup ground cooked ham
1 cup cooked or canned whole grain corn
1 tablespoon minced onion
⅔ cup enriched flour
1½ teaspoons baking powder
¼ cup milk or corn liquid
Lard for frying

Combine ham, corn and onion, mixing thoroughly. Sift flour and baking powder together and add to corn mixture. Add liquid and mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls into deep hot lard at 375 degrees F. Drain well on soft paper. Four servings.

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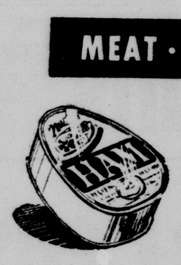
FOLGER'S Coffee lb. 83¢

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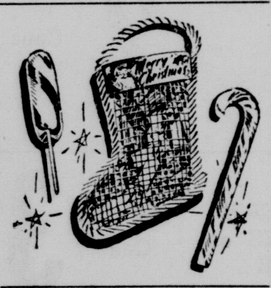


Tender Cured HAMS Whole or Half lb. 59¢
Swift's Oriole SLICED BACON lb. 49¢
Warnsburg SAUSAGE lb. 55¢

TURKEYS - DUCKS
GEESE - CHICKENS
—FRESH OYSTERS—



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Old Fashioned CHOCOLATE DROPS lb. 29¢



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Fresh Cape Cod CRANBERRIES lb. 17¢
Tender Crisp PASCAL CELERY Large stalk 19¢
Crisp Solid HEAD LETTUCE Large head 13¢
California CARROTS 2 lge. bchs 25¢

Large Ass't of Xmas Candy, Nuts, Fruits

Sweet and Juicy Texas ORANGES Dozen 25¢

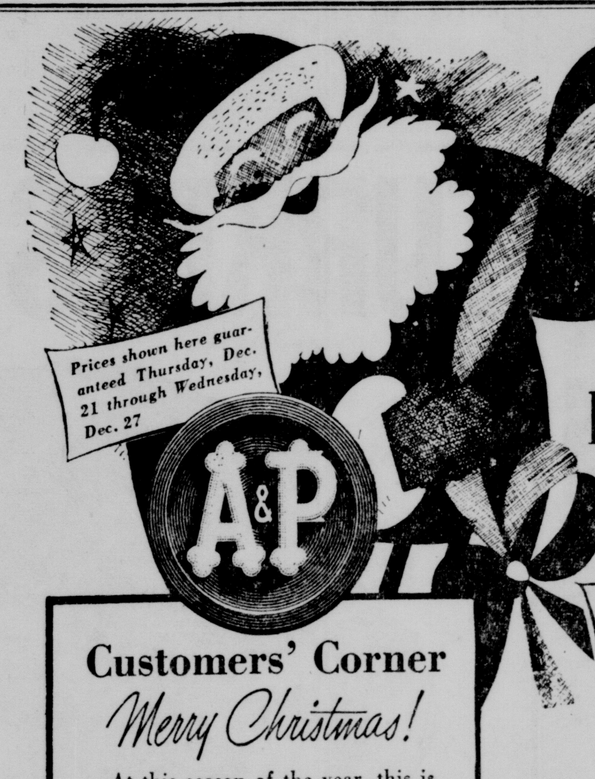
Lee Spanish Stuffed Olives 8-oz. jar 59¢
Summer Girl Salad Dressing 24-oz jar 39¢
Birdseye Green Peas pkg. 25¢
Powdered or Brown C & H Sugar 2 lbs. 25¢
Monarch Plum Pudding lb. tin 49¢
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Mincemeat A&P Condensed 2 9-oz. pkgs. 29¢
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Mushroom Soup Campbell's 10½-oz. can 17¢
Sliced Pineapple Dole's Delicious No. 2 can 33¢
Ripe Olives Libby's Pitted No. 1 can 33¢
Grapefruit Juice Grade A 46-oz. can 25¢
Tuna Flakes Grated, Thrifty- 2 6-oz. cans 49¢
Pict Ripe Pears Bartlett No. 2½ can 29¢
Sweet Potatoes In Syrup 2 No. 2 cans 33¢
Yellow Popcorn For Popping, 10-oz. pkg. 17¢
Tomato Juice Libby's Flavorful 46-oz. can 27¢
A&P Applesauce Grade A 2 No. 2 cans 29¢
Fig Pudding Crosse & Blackwell 13-oz. can 47¢
Assorted Beverages 3 24-oz. btls. 29¢
Dill Pickles Budlong Brand Qt. Jar 29¢
Green Giant Peas 2 17-oz. cans 39¢

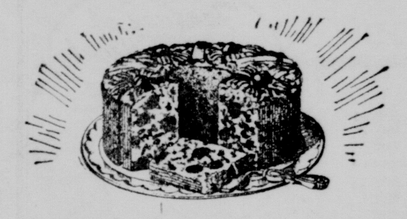
Whipping Cream ½ Pint Container 31¢

Holiday Gift Cheese Boxes ea. $2.95
Sliced Swiss Cheese Wisconsin lb. 75¢
Cheddar Cheese Wisconson Sharp lb. 79¢
Danish Bleu Cheese Imported lb. 79¢
Liederkranz Borden's Fancy 4-oz. pkg. 35¢
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Smoked Hams Swift's Premium, 14-16 lbs. Whole or Half lb. 57¢
Cooked Hams 12-16 lbs., Whole or Shank Half lb. 59¢
Cooked Hams 12-16 lbs., Butt Half lb. 63¢
Canned Whole Hams 10-12 lb. lb. 75¢

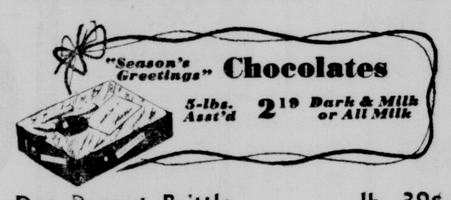


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Cream Iced Devil's Food Cake 45¢
White Bread Marvel Enriched 16-oz. loaf 12¢
Christmas Layer Cake 10-in. Cake $1.89
Christmas Layer Cake 8-inch Cake 98¢
Christmas Tree Cookies pkg. 33¢



Dye Peanut Brittle ..... lb. 39¢
Warwick Cherries Chocolate Cover lb. box 55¢
Filled Candy Thin Shell Assorted lb. jar 39¢
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Warwick Chocolates Ass't. 5-lb. box $2.69
Warwick Thin Mints Fancy lb. box 45¢
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Cooked Hams Swift's Fruit Decorated, 12-14 lb., Xmas Wrapped lb. 67¢
Pork Loin Roast Rib End—Full 7-Rib Cut lb. 39¢
Pork Loin Roast Loin End Portion lb. 49¢
Pork Loin Roast Center Cut, Rib or Loin Pork Chops lb. 69¢
Roll Pork Sausage Armour's Star lb. 39¢
Fresh Pork Butts Whole or Half lb. 49¢
Fresh Dressed Fryers ..... lb. 55¢
Frozen Shrimp Large, 25-30 ct. lb. 69¢
Herring Fillets In Wine Sauce 13-oz. jar 39¢
Smoked Herring 4-oz. pkg. 16c

Fresh Oranges 5 lb. Mesh Bag 35¢

Fresh Cranberries Eat-more 1-lb. cello bag 15¢
Navel Oranges California, 220 Size lb. 13¢
Grapefruit Juice-Heavy Texas 8-lb. bag 45¢
Delicious Apples Red-Ripe lb. 15¢
Fresh Pineapple Cuban, 24 Size ea. 33¢
Head Lettuce Cello Wrapped head 15¢
Table Celery Hearts Tender bunch 25¢
Fresh Carrots California, Crisp bunch 10¢
Fresh Mushrooms Plump 6-oz. box 29¢
Sweet Potatoes Fresh, Tender 3 lbs. 25¢
Yellow Popcorn Regalo 2-lb. bag 35¢
Fresh Dates California 14-oz. bag 29¢
Mixed Nuts In the Shell lb. bag 49¢
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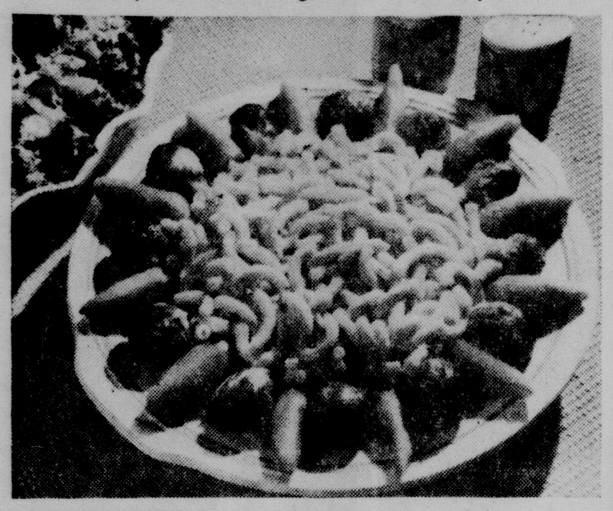
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Green and Gold Platter

(Macaroni-Vegetable Platter)



HOMEMAKERS rejoice when they discover a dish that is tempting and flavorful as well as simple to prepare for dinner or a Sunday night supper. Green and Gold Platter answers this description and has the happy faculty of stretching the food dollar as well.

Durum macaroni gives a hearty touch and a pleasant chewy texture to the vegetable platter dish and its bland flavor is just right with the more flavorful carrots and Brussels sprouts. It's nourishing too, because the good protein of the macaroni and cheese combines with the vitamins and minerals of the vegetables to give an ample supply of these essential nutrients.

This platter is easy to prepare. First cook the macaroni until tender. Meanwhile make a white sauce and add cheese. Fold the macaroni into the sauce and heap the mixture onto a hot platter with the cooked and buttered Brussels sprouts and carrots arranged alternately around the edge. Served piping hot it is sure to send the family back asking for seconds.

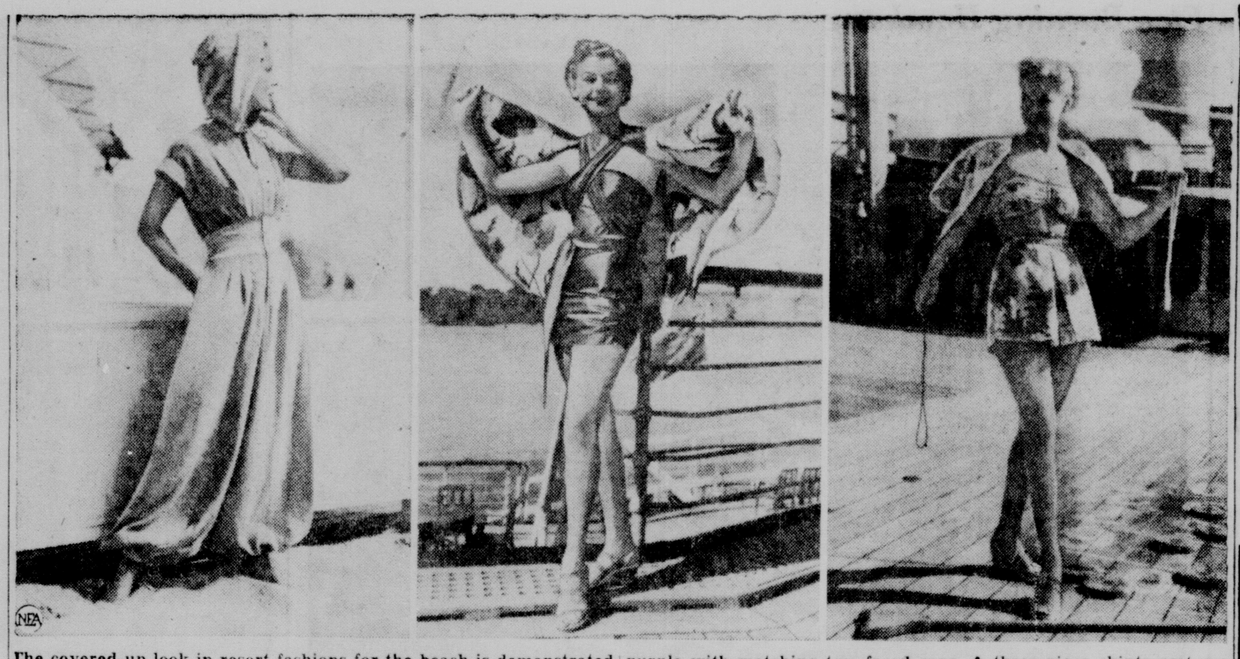
The well planned menu will include a crisp texture such as tossed greens salad with a tart dressing. On these cold January days the children as well as the grown folks will want a beverage such as cups of steaming hot chocolate for the youngsters and clear hot coffee for the grown-ups.

GREEN AND GOLD PLATTER
(Macaroni-Vegetable Platter)

4 ounces elbow macaroni
¼ cup butter or margarine
¼ cup enriched flour
½ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
1½ cups milk
1 cup cubed American cheese
Cooked buttered Brussels sprouts
Cooked buttered whole carrots

Cook macaroni in boiling salted water until tender (about 12 minutes). Drain and rinse. While macaroni is cooking, melt butter or margarine in saucepan. Stir in flour, salt and pepper. Gradually add milk and cheese, stirring constantly until thickened. Fold macaroni into sauce. Arrange on hot platter with Brussels sprouts and carrots around macaroni.

Makes 4 servings.



The covered-up look in resort fashions for the beach is demonstrated by these designs. The dry-off costume (left) is terry cloth with detachable hood. A polished cotton bathing suit (center) is in deep purple with matching two-faced cape. A three-piece chintz costume for the heat of the day (right) has cover-up jacket lined in terry cloth. The bra top is strapless.



Make-up in keeping with this year's elegant styles and rich fabrics is applied by this fashion-conscious young woman. She applies a dark shade of lipstick (left) to add dash and color to milk-toned complexion she achieves with double application of pale powder.

India Growing Its Own Jute

NEW DELHI—(AP)—India, pushing toward self-sufficiency in raw jute, hopes to produce nearly two-thirds of her requirements domestically this year. The overall requirement is 6,000,000 bales yearly. Commerce ministry officials expect domestic production this year to total 4,150,000 bales. In addition, there will be 350,000 bales of mesta and similar fibres which may be mixed with jute. Officials estimate this will keep India jute mills working for eight months.

India used to acquire its raw jute from Pakistan, but this trade has been suspended because of an argument overv the par value of the Pakistani rupee.

Hand-lettering fast is becoming a lost art—a situation that poses a problem for map-makers. To keep pace with its map production, the National Geographic Society, has developed its own photo-lettering machine, which does the work of scores of hand-letters.

Indians Expect Mild Winter

SEATTLE —(AP)— Indians who work for the Boeing Aircraft company think this winter will be mild. Five of the men agreed that signs point to less snow and cold than last year. One woman disagreed. She thought there might be plenty of cold. Most of them said their parents or old people of their tribes were better at predicting weather than they were.

Last year Boeing also asked its Indian workers what the winter would be like. Last year they hit it on the nose—predicting lots of snow and cold.

Preservative Secret Well Kept

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — In November of 1924 a member of the staff of the California State Exposition dropped a potato in a jar of fluid. Today the potato, which has been on display ever since, looks as fresh and firm as ever.

The formula of the preservative, which makes possible permanent exhibits of fruits and vegetables of all types, has remained a secret of the exhibit staff for more than a quarter century. Only two members at a time know it, according to Exposition Manager Louis V. Venator, who doesn't. The secret is passed to another only upon the death, retirement or resignation of one of the pair.

Teachers Helped

ORANGEVILLE, Ont. — (AP) — Teachers helped build Orangeville's $350,000 high school to be officially opened on January 1. Principal H. Cline and four teachers worked as laborers, bricklayers and electricians to help out during a shortage of labor.



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Sunkist Oranges lb. 12¢
Tullis-Hall Whipping Cream ½ pt. 33¢
Old Fashioned Cottage Cheese 17¢
Wilson's B-V Beef Extract 2½-oz. jar 35¢

Sunshine HYDROX COOKIES 25¢
Swift's Premium BACON lb. 57¢
Peter Pan PEANUT BUTTER 35¢
Forbes' MUSTARD Qt. jar 19¢
Forbes' MINCE MEAT 9-oz. pkg. 21¢
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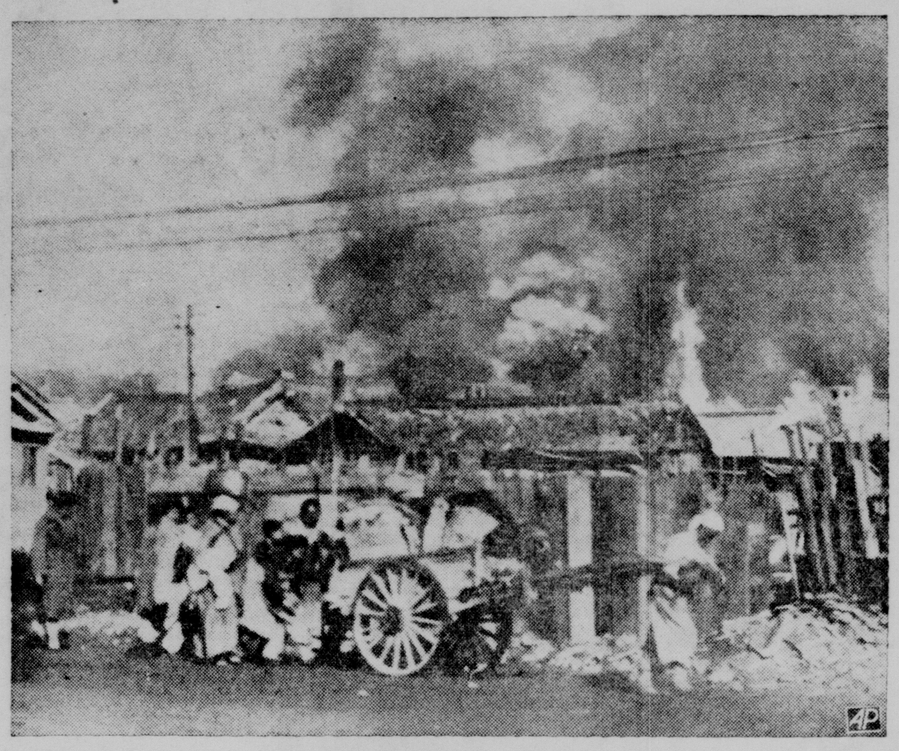
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LAST BITTER BLOW—A Korean refugee, her sleeping baby harnessed to her back, tries to salvage what she can from her pack of possessions that fell under wheels of a train at Sariwon. The bundle fell as the mother tried without success to board the train with thousands of other civilians fleeing before advancing Reds in Korea. (NEA-Acme photo by Staff Photographer Ed Hoffman.)

Flee Burning Hamhung

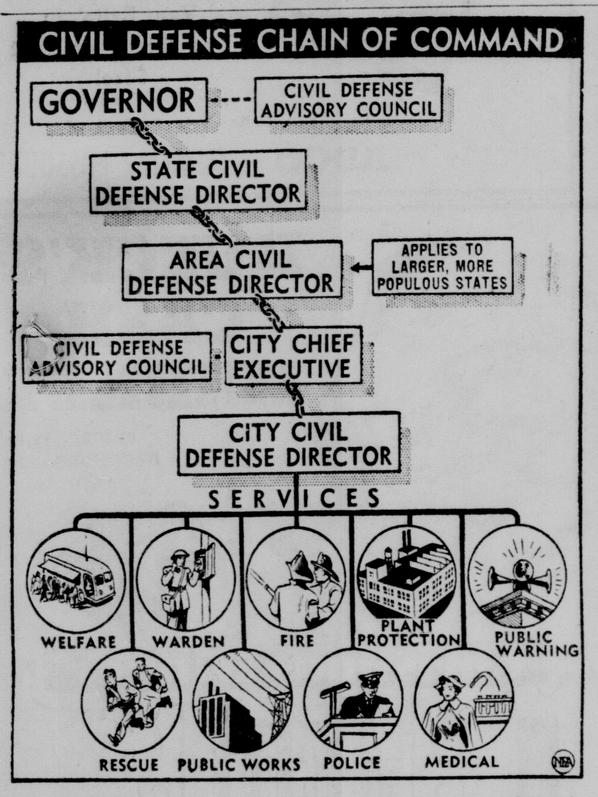


Korean refugees cart their belongings from Hamhung Saturday ahead of the oncoming Chinese Communist army. Part of the city goes up in flames in the background as United Nations forces destroy buildings and supplies to keep them from enemy hands. (AP Wirephoto)



To guard her family and her home from fire, this young wife turns to safety aids. She hangs blaze-proof curtains at her windows (left), and observes common-sense rules concerning her fuse box (upper right). Dolls (lower right) demonstrate how fire-proofing of children's clothes in simple home-made solution can avert flaming tragedy.

CIVIL DEFENSE CHAIN OF COMMAND



The principles of organization and command in the National Security Resources Board's "atomic age" civil defense plan now in Congress' hands, are outlined in the Newschart above. The operating chain of command begins at the state level. The program is expected to cost $3,100,000,000 over a three-year period, according to acting Deputy Administrator James Wadsworth of the Civil Defense Administration. Federal Government's share of the cost is expected to be about 34 per cent and that of states and local governments to be 46 per cent.

THEY WALK . . . BECAUSE YOU GAVE



Two little polio patients at Burge Hospital, Springfield, Mo., already have a host of friends in the people who gave to the March of Dimes which pays for the research and care upon which their improvement depends. One of their loyal friends is Dr. Homer P. Rainey, President of Stephens College in Columbia, who served as Missouri's Chairman of the March of Dimes in 1950 and will lead the drive again in 1951. The children are Judy Wallander, 2, of Decaturville, Mo., and Randy Rogers, 18 months old, of Springfield, Mo.

Deer Greets Air Passengers

GRAND CANYON, Ariz.—(AP)—Official greeter at the Grand Canyon airport is a deer. He extends a welcome to all passengers alighting from Trans World Airlines flights.

He makes friends readily, but is a bit of a "character" too. For instance, he is fond of eating lighted cigarettes and will snatch one right out of your hand. He's a little too young to have horns, but he is most proud of the beginnings that he is sprouting. Turn your back on him and he'll give you a nudge. Just testing, you know.

U.S. Anthem Hard to Find

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Big-shot ECA administrators were coming to open an American-donated steel mill in Austria's largest steel plant. The musicians called up the ECA office in Vienna. ECA called the U.S. Army at Salzburg, and a special courier rushed 200 miles to Donawitz with the anthem.

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Reservation Locates Lost Kin

PHOENIX, Ariz. —(AP)— Ten years ago Dick Longstreth and his cousin, Mrs. Arthur Lynch, lost touch with each other. Dick is reservation agent for Trans World Airlines here.

The other day he got a long distance call from Tucson for a complicated reservation. It was so complicated he had to ask the name and promise to call back. The caller was Mrs. Lynch.

After the excitement was over, he made the reservation. But he was careful to note where Mrs. Lynch was going. He does not intend to lose her again.

India Figures Election Costs

NEW DELHI—(AP)—The General elections to be held in 1951 will cost the central and state governments $21,300,000, Law Minister B. R. Ambedkar told parliament.

He said about 175,000,000 persons voting under adult franchise are expected to take part in the elections. India's decennial census which will be completed by the end of May next year, it is calculated, will show the Indian population around 350,000,000.

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2618 E. Broadway Phone 55
NO EXTRA COST! COOKY SHEET WITH 25-LB. OR LARGER SACK OF
25 lbs. $1.99
Gold Medal "Kitchen tested" ENRICHED FLOUR


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Good Things To Eat — AM. — Finest Foods and Meats
FRUIT BASKETS
Are welcomed Christmas Gifts.
Place your order now. Priced from.... $2.00 up
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501 SO. ENGINEER
PHONE 343
FREE DELIVERY
STORE CLOSED MONDAY CHRISTMAS DAY

Fresh Dressed FRYERS lb. 59¢
Young Baking HENS lb. 49¢
SLAB BACON Armour's Star By the piece lb. 49¢
PORK SAUSAGE Pure Pork Country style lb. 39¢
Solid HEAD LETTUCE each 14¢
Fresh CRANBERRIES lb. 17¢
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POTATOES Red Triumphs 10 lbs. 39¢
PITTED DATES IGA Brand box 23¢
MINCEMEAT IGA Brand 9-oz. pkg. 23¢
IGA Grapefruit JUICE 46-oz. can 29¢
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IGA Pie CHERRIES No. 2 can 27¢
Fresh Like—Green BEANS No. 2 can 24¢
Fresh PIGS FEET lb 9¢
Lean PORK ROAST lb. 49¢
CHEESE 2-lb. box 59¢
FRUITS
Golden Ripe BANANAS lb. 14¢
Fancy Sunkist ORANGES doz. 49¢
Fresh Like—Tender PEAS No. 2 can 21¢
Old Fashioned CHOC. DROPS lb. 29¢
Christmas Mix CANDY lb. 25¢
Peanut BRITTLE lb. 29¢
Chocolate Covered CHERRIES lb. 59¢
Pop CORN 2 lbs. 25¢

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IT'S Christmas Every Day WITH OUR Lower Food Prices



Marlene MARGARINE lb. 29¢
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Country Style ROPE SAUSAGE lb. 49¢
Grade A ROUND STEAK, lb. 87¢
Young, Tender BAKING HENS lb. 49¢
Fancy Texas JUICE ORANGES, doz. 29¢
Golden Ripe BANANAS 2 lbs. 25¢
Tender, Pascal CELERY, large stalk 14¢
Cape Cod CRANBERRIES, lb. pkg. 14¢
Solid Head LETTUCE 2 for 23¢
General COFFEE, lb. pkg. 65¢
IGA Sliced PINEAPPLE 2 9-oz. cans 31¢
IGA Salad DRESSING, pint jar 27¢
Early June PEAS No. 2 can 21¢
Assorted GUM DROPS lb. 24¢
Christmas Mix CANDY lb. 25¢
Old Fashioned PEANUT BRITTLE, lb. 29¢
Assorted CHOCOLATES, lb. box 59¢
Chocolate Covered CHERRIES lb. 59¢
All Flavors JELLO 3 boxes 23¢
Old Fashioned Chocolate Drops, lb. 29¢
None-Such MINCE MEAT, 9-oz. pkg. 22¢
Pie CHERRIES No. 2 can 27¢
Madison SWEET PICKLES, qt. 35¢
We have cigars by the box • Cigarettes by the carton • Plenty of candies • Nuts • Fruits • and a complete line of fancy and staple groceries.
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California ORANGES 2 lbs. 25¢
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Yellow No. 1 ONIONS 10 lbs. 25¢
MAYFLOWER PEAS 2 No. 2 Cans 33¢
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OCEAN SPRAY Cranberry Sauce 2 for 29¢
CHRISTMAS CANDY AT POPULAR PRICES
MEADOW GOLD BUTTER Solids, Lb. 67¢ Quarters, Lb. 68¢
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says DON McNEILL of the Breakfast Club on the full ABC Network
lb. 32¢
FRESH MEATS
TURKEYS PREMIUM QUALITY 10 To 12 Lb. Avg.
BAKING HENS 3½ to 5 Lb. Avg.
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LAKE VALLEY CHEESE FOOD 2 lbs. 59¢
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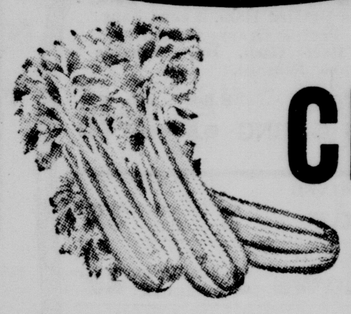
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Brussels Sprouts 12-oz. Cello 33¢
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Grapefruit Texas Marsh Seedless 8-Lb. Bag 43¢
Bunch Sage Large Bunch 15¢

Our specialty items include artichokes, chestnuts, green peppers, persimmons, mushrooms, cucumbers, pomegranates, green onions, and celery hearts. Also Christmas boxes of fancy gift-wrapped fruit.

Sliced Pineapple Libby's Fancy No. 2½ Can 35c
Fancy Sweet Peas Sugar Belle 2 No. 303 Cans 27c
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TURKEYS!

If you want a fine turkey for your Christmas feast, serve one of these plump, meaty turkeys from Safeway. They're individually packed in Cry-O-Vac bags — ready to season and pop in the oven.

TOMS Over 18 Pounds Lb. 49¢
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HENS 10 to 16 Pounds Lb. 65¢

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Fryers Fresh Whole Lb. 53c
Ducklings Long Island Lb. 67c
All poultry ready for the oven



Pork Loin Roast Rib End Lb. 39c Loin End Lb. 49c

Oysters Standards Pint 79c Selects Pint 89c
Sliced Bacon Rodeo 1-Lb. Pkg. 57c
Chuck Roast U. S. Good Beef Blade Cuts Lb. 59c

SMOKED HAMS
ARMOUR STAR Half or Whole Lb. 53¢
Swift's Premium Half or Whole Lb. 57c

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Breaded Shrimp 12-oz. Box 73¢
Ground Beef Top Quality Lb. 57¢
Salad Dressing Cascade Quart Jar 39¢
Stuffing Bread Mrs. Wright's 24-oz. Loaf 19¢
Brown 'n Serve Rolls Pkg. of 12 15¢
Powdered Sugar or Brown 2 1-Lb. Boxes 27¢

Libby POTTED MEAT No. ¼ Can 11¢
Libby Spaghetti with Meat No. 2 Can 25¢
M & M Candy Coated Chocolates 7-oz. Pkg. 25¢
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Blu-White FLAKES 4 Pkgs. 28¢
Buy 3 at regular price, get one for 1c
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100% Filled Candy Sunbrite or Aunt Jennie 1-Lb. Jar 39¢
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Jello Assorted Flavors Reg. Pkg. 8¢
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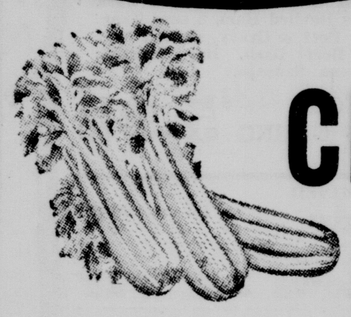
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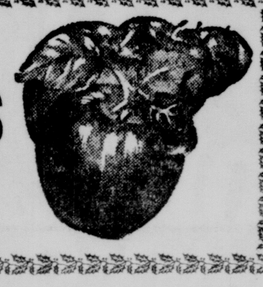
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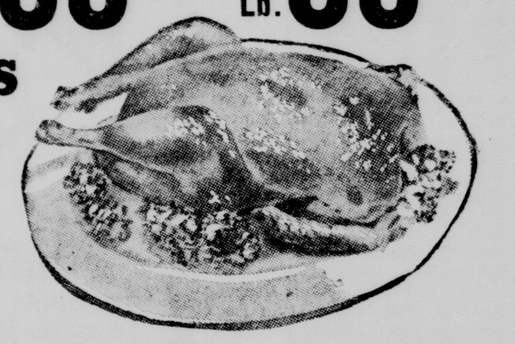
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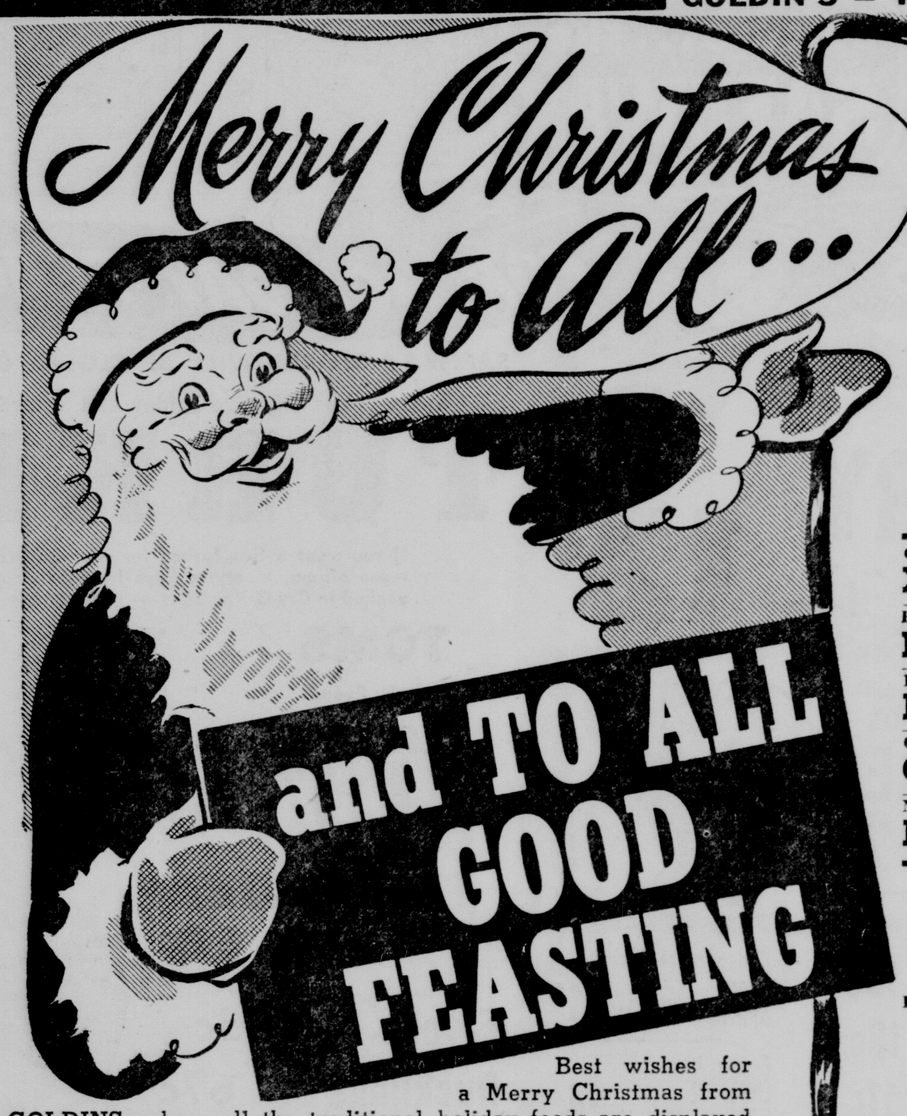
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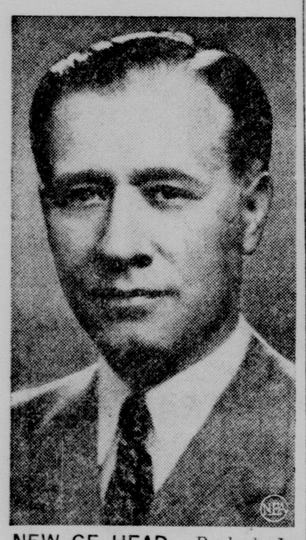
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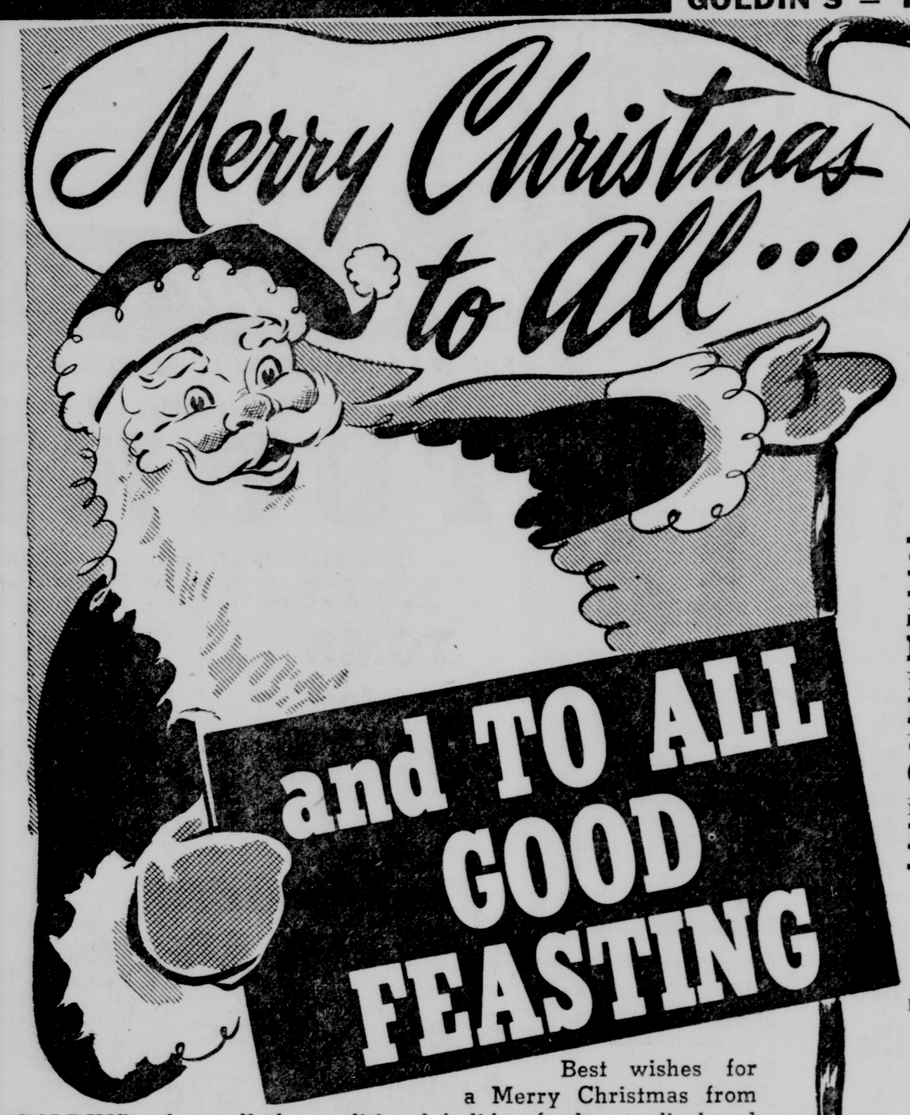
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